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RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

THE STANDARD RAILWAY OF AMERICA.

PROTECTED THROUGHOUT BY THE

Interlocking Switch and Block Signal System.

On and after May 20th, 1895, the Passengre Trains of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will depart from HARRISBURG and arrive at Philadelphia, New York, Pittsburg, and Erie as follows:

EASTWARD.

PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS daily at 1.10 A. M., arrives at Philadelphia at 4.30 A. M. and New York at 7.33 A. M.

EASTERN EXPRESS daily at 2.15 A. M., arrives Philadelphia 5.05 A. M., New York 7.43 A. M.

FAST LINE daily at 3.45 A. M., arrives at Philadelphia at 6.52 A. M. daily and New York 9.33 A. M. week-days, and 10.38 A. M. Sunday.

HARRISBURG EXPRESS daily (except Sunday) at 6.40 A. M., arrives at Philadelphia at 10.20 A. M. and New York at 12.53 P. M.

COLUMBIA ACCOMMODATION daily (except Sunday) at 7.15 A. M., arrives at Philadelphia at 11.45 A. M. and New York 2.13 P. M.

ATLANTIC EXPRESS daily at 9.35 a. m. arrives at Philadelphia 12.17 p. m. and New York 2.33 p. m.

SEA-SHORE EXPRESS daily (except Sunday) at 11.40 a. m., arrives at Philadelphia 3.00 p. m. and New York 5.53 p. m.

PENNSYLVANIA LIMITED EXPRESS of Pullman Vestibule Cars daily at 1.40 p. m., arrives at Philadelphia at 4.17 p. m. and New York at 6.30 p. m.

LANCASTER ACCOMMODATION (Sunday only) at 2.35 P. M., arrive at Lancaster 4.20 P. M.

DAY EXPRESS daily at 2.50 p. m., arrives at Philadelphia at 5.47 p. m. and New York at 8.23 p. m.

LANCASTER ACCOMMODATION, daily (except Sunday) at 2.55 p. m., arrives Lancaster 4.18 p. m.

MAIN LINE EXPRESS, daily at 3.30 p. m., arrives Philadelphia 6.23 p. m., arrives New York 9.23 p. m.

HARRISBURG ACCOMMODATION via Columbia daily (except Sunday,) at 4.50 p. m. and arrives at Philadelphia at 9.45 p. m., New York 12.33 a. m. daily (except Monday).

LANCASTER ACCOMMODATION, daily (except Sunday) at 5.10 p. m., arrives Lancaster 6.20 p. m.

MAIL TRAIN daily at 7.30 p. m. arrives at Philadelphia at 11.15 p. m., New York 3.53 a. m.

STEELTON TRAINS leave Harrisburg daily (except Sunday) at 6.40, 7.15, 11.40 a. m., 2.55, 4.50, 5.10 p. m. On Sunday 2.35 p. m. Returning, leave Steelton daily (except Sunday) 10.55, 11.08 a. m.; 3.55, 7.01, 7.44 p. m. On Sunday 11.08 a. m.

For LEBANON, 6.40, 11.40 a. m., 3.36, 7.30 p. m. week-days.

All Through Trains connect at Jersey City with boats of "Brooklyn Annex" for BROOKLYN, N. Y., avoiding double ferriage and journey through New York City.

WESTWARD.

SOUTHWESTERN EXPRESS daily at 1.20 a. m., arrives at Altoona at 4.50 a. m., Pittsburg 8.30 a. m.

PACIFIC EXPRESS daily at 3.10 a. m., arrives at Altoona at 7.40 a. m. and Pittsburg at 12.10 p. m.

WAY PASSENGER, daily, 8.18 a. m., arrives at Altoona 1.45 p. m. and Pittsburg 6.50 p. m.

MAIL TRAIN daily at 11.20 a. m., arrives at Altoona at 3.40 p. m. and Pittsburg at 8.10 p. m.

PENNSYLVANIA LIMITED, of Pullman Vestibule cars leaves daily at 3.00 p. m., arrives at Altoona at 6.10 p. m., and Pittsburg 9.15 p. m.

FAST LINE daily at 3.50 p. m.. arrives at Altoona at 7.40 p. m., and Pittsburg at 11.30 p. m.

ALTOONA ACCOMMODATION, daily, 5.00 p. m. arrives at Altoona at 9.50 p. m.

CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS EXPRESS, daily at 7.30 p. m. arrives Altoona 10.45 p. m. and Pittsburg at 2.00 a. m.

EXPRESS FOR PITTSBURG (daily except Sunday), 10.20 p. m.

WESTERN EXPRESS daily at 11.55 p. m. arrives at Altoona at 3.35 a. m. and Pittsburg at 7.15 a. m.

For MIFFLIN, 3.10, 8.18 and 11.20 a. m., 3.50 5.00 and 10.20 p. m., daily, except Sunday. Sun days, 3.10, 8.18, 11.20 a. m., 3.50 and 5.00 p. m.

PHILAD'A & ERIE R. R. DIVISION.

WESTERN EXPRESS, daily, except Sunday, at 12.01 a. m., arrives at Sunbury at 1.35 a. m., and Williamsport 2.55 a. m.

NORTHERN EXPRESS, daily, at 3.30 a. m., arrives at Williamsport at 6.50 a. m., and Erie at 3.40 p. m.

NEWS EXPRESS, daily, at 8.15 a. m., arrives at Williamsport at 11.15 a. m., Lock Haven at 12.20 p. m.

NIAGARA EXPRESS daily (except Sunday) at 12.10 p. m., arrives at Williamsport at 3.00 p. m., Lock Haven at 4.10 p. m., Renovo at 5.15 p. m and Kane 9.20 p. m.

FAST LINE daily (except Sunday) at 3.55 p. m., arrives at Williamsport at 7.00 p. m., Lock Haven at 8.00 p. m., and Renovo at 9.00 p. m.

WILLIAMSPORT EXPRESS daily at 7.55 p. m., arrives at Sunbury 9.25 p. m., and Williamsport at 10.40 p. m.

Time cards and full information can be obtained at the ticket Office at the Station.

S. M. PREVOST, General Manager. J. R. WOOD, Gen'l Passenger Agent.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

Time table of Through Trains in effect Jan. 6th, 1895. Close connection made in Union Depots, Cincinnati and St. Louis, and all points West and Southwest. Close connections also made in Columbus and Chicago for points West and Northwest.

LEAVE HAGERSTOWN.

6.30 A. M.—Arrive at Frederick 8.35 A. M. Washington 9.20 A. M., Baltimore 10.30 A M.

11.10 A. M.—Chicago Vestibuled Limited Express—Arrive at Frederick 2.20 P. M., Washington 2.53 p. m., Baltimore 4.40 p. m., Pittsburg 8.45 p. m., Youngstown 10.57 p. m., Akron 12.42 a. m., Chicago 11.00 a. m.

5.00 P. M.—For Columbus, Pittsburg. Chicago, Washington and Baltimore.

ARRIVE AT HAGERSTOWN.

9.00 A. M.—From Baltimore, Frederick, Winchester, Martinsburg, Cumberland and all through points west.

2.13 P. M.—From Baltimore, Washington, Frederick and all stations on the Main Line.

8.40 P. M.—From Baltimore, via Main Stem and via Washington and from Fred erick and all points west.

LEAVE MARTINSBURG.

1.47 P. M.—Vestibuled Limited Express Chi cago 11.00 a. m., Pittsburg 8.45 p. m., Youngstown 10.57 p. m., Akron 12.52 a. m.

5.54 P. M.—Vestibuled Limited Express—Arrive at Cumberland 8.02 p. m., Cincinnati 7.45 a. m., Louisville 11.59 a. m., St. Louis 6.00 p. m.

10.39 P. M.—Chicago Express—Arrive Colum bus 11.35 a. m., Chicago 9.00 p. m.

11.28 P. M.—Arrive at Pittsburg 6.55 a. m. Cleveland 10.30 a. m.

2.27 A. M.—Arrive at Cincinnati 5.30 p. m., Louisville 11.00 p. m., St. Louis 7.12 a. m.

The Double Track, Elegantly Equipped, Picturesque, Baltimore & Ohio solicits patronage, offering you superior accommodations, quick transit and low rates of fare. If you intend to travel West, Northwest or Southwest call on or address the undersigned who will give you full information.

☞Trains leave Hagerstown daily, except Sunday.

C. O. SCULL, Gen'l Pass. Agt. Baltimore, Md.

H. W. Spessard, Pass. & Ticket Agent. Chambersburg, Pa.

TUSCARORA VALLEY RAILROAD.

Schedule in effect Monday, Sept. 30, 1895.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS. Daily, except Sunday.	No. 1 A. M.	No. 3 P. M.
Blair's Mills ... Lv	8 00	2 00
Waterloo	8 05	2 05
Leonard's Grove	8 10	2 10
Ross Farm	8 15	2 15
Perulack	8 20	2 20
East Waterford	8 30	2 30
Heckman	8 37	2 37
Honey Grove	8 42	2 42
Fort Bingham	8 48	2 48
Warble	8 55	2 55
Pleasant View	9 00	3 00
Seven Pines	9 06	3 06
Spruce Hill	9 10	3 10
Graham's	9 14	3 14
Stewart	9 16	3 16
Freedom	9 18	3 18
Turbett	9 20	3 20
Old Port	9 25	3 25
Port Royal ... Ar	9 30	3 30

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 connect at Port Roya with Way Passenger and Seashore Express on P. R. R., and Nos. 3 and 4 with Mail East.

WESTWARD.

STATIONS. Daily, except Sunday.	Dist.	No 2 A. M.	No. 4 P. M.
Port Royal ... Lv	0 0	10 45	5 15
Old Port	1 3	10 50	5 20
Turbett	2 8	10 55	5 25
Freedom	3 7	10 57	5 27
Stewart	4 4	10 59	5 29
Graham's	5 0	11 01	5 31
Spruce Hill	6 3	11 05	5 35
Seven Pines	7 2	11 09	5 39
Pleasant Veiw	9 0	11 15	5 45
Warble	10 0	11 20	5 50
Fort Bingham	12 0	11 26	5 56
Honey Grove	14 0	11 33	6 03
Heckman	16 1	11 38	6 08
East Waterford	17 5	11 45	6 15
Perulack	20 5	11 55	6 25
Ross Farm	22 0	12 00	6 30
Leonard's Grove	24 0	12 05	6 35
Waterloo	25 5	12 10	6 40
Blair's Mills ... Ar	27 0	12 15	6 45

Trains Nos. 2 and 3 connect with Stage Line at Blair's Mills for Concord, Doylesburg and Dry Run.

J. C. MOORHEAD, Supt.

CUMBERLAND VALLEY RAIL ROAD TIME TABLE.—Dec. 2, 1895.

Leave		no. 2	no. 4	no. 6	no. 8	no10
		*A.M	†A.M	†P.M	†P.M	*P.M
Winchester			7 15		2 40	
Martinsburg			8 00		3 30	
Hagerstown		6 30	8 43	12 20	4 20	9 05
Greencastle		6 51	9 05	12 42	4 53	9 30
Mercersburg			7 45		2 50	
	A. M					
Chambersburg		7 12	9 30	1 04	5 20	9 53
Waynesboro			8 10	12 00	4 00	
Shippensburg		7 32	9 50	1 24	5 42	10 14
Newville		7 50	10 08	1 41	6 00	10 33
Carlisle		8 13	10 31	2 05	6 25	10 56
Mechanicsburg		8 39	10 51	2 27	6 45	11 19
Arr. Dillsburg			1 00	4 40	7 35	
Arr. Harrisb'g		9 00	11 10	2 45	7 02	11 40
	A. M	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M
Arr. Phila		12 17	§3 00	5 47	11 15	4 30
" New York		2 33	5 53	8 23	3 53	7 33
" Baltimore		12 20	3 10	6 15	10 40	6 20
	A. M	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M

Additional trains will leave Carlisle for Harrisburg daily, except Sunday, at 5.45 a. m., 7.00 a. m., 12.10 p. m., 3.45 p. m. and 6.30 p. m., and from Mechanicsburg at 6.10 a. m., 7.25 a. m., 9.54 a. m., 12.35 p. m., 1.44 p. m., 4.10 p. m., 5.35 p. m. and 6.55 p. m., stopping at 2d street Harrisburg, to let off passengers.

Trains Nos. 4 and 10 run daily between Harrisburg and Hagerstown.

§On Sundays No. 4. arrives Baltimore 4.20 p. m., Philadelphia 5.47 p. m., New York 8.23 p. m.

Through coach from Hagerstown to Philadeldhia on train No. 4.

* Daily.

† Daily except Sunday.

Leave	no. 1	no. 3	no. 5	no. 7		no. 9
	P. M.	A. M	A. M	A. M	P. M.	P. M.
L'v Baltimore	11 50	4 55	8 53	11 40		4 40
" New York	8 00	12 15		9 30		2 00
" Phila	11 20	4 30	8 50	12 25		4 40
	†	*	†	†	†	*
Leave	A. M	A. M	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Harrisburg	4 45	7 55	12 10	3 45		8 10
Dillsburg		7 35	9 30	1 20		5 10
Mechanicsburg	5 04	8 15	12 30	4 07		8 29
Carlisle	5 25	8 36	12 53	4 27		8 50
Newville	5 49	9 00	1 17	4 51		9 10
Shippensburg	6 08	9 18	1 38	5 10		9 28
Waynesboro		10 35	3 00	6 10		
Chambersburg	6 32	9 45	2 05	5 35		9 50
Mercersburg		11 05	5 38			
Greencastle	6 54	10 06	2 26	5 55		10 09
Hagerstown	7 17	10 35	2 50	6 25		10 30
Martinsburg		11 16		7 07		
Ar. Winchester		12 05		7 55		
	A. M	n'on	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

Additional local trains will leave Harrisburg daily, except Sunday, for Carlisle and intermediate stations at 9.35 a. m., 2.25 p. m., 3.40 p. m., 5.20 p. m. 6.20 p. m. and 10.55 p. m., also for Mechanicsburg and intermediate stations at 7.48 a. m., and 11.20 a. m. All of the above trains will stop at 2d street, Harrisburg, to take on passengers.

Nos. 3 and 9 run daily between Harrisburg and Hagerstown.

Through coach from Philadelphia to Hagerstown on trains Nos. 5 and 9.

* Daily.

† Daily except Sunday.

MONT ALTO RAILROAD.

Mail no58 †P.M	Mix no56 †P.M	Acc no54 †A.M	Lve. Arr.	Mail no53 †A.M	Mix no55 †P.M	Acc no57 †P.M
5 15	1 38	9 45	Chambersburg	8 50	1 20	4 45
5 27	1 53	9 52	Mont Alto Jun.	8 42	1 08	4 39
5 38	2 08	10 03	West Fay'tville	8 31	12 52	4 29
5 43	2 16	10 08	East Fay't'ville	8 26	12 44	4 24
5 55	2 32	10 19	Mont Alto	8 15	12 25	4 13
5 58	2 37	10 22	Kneppers	8 12	12 20	4 11
6 02	2 46	10 27	Quincy	8 08	12 11	4 07
6 10	3 00	10 35	Waynesboro	8 00	12 00	4 00
P. M.	P. M.	A. M	Arr. Lve.	A. M	P. M.	P. M.

SOUTHERN PENN'A R. R. TRAINS.

Pas. no65 †P.M	Mix no63 †A.M	Lve. Arr.	Pas. no 64 †A.M	Mix no68 †P.M
4 55	9 45	Chambersburg	8 38	4 15
5 08	9 56	Marion	8 23	3 55
5 43	11 05	Mercersburg	7 45	2 50
6 02	11 35	Loudon	7 23	2 15
6 10	11 50	Richmond	7 15	2 00
P. M.	A. M	Arr. Lve.	A. M	P. M.

Connection for all stations on Cumberland Valley Railroad and Pennsylvania Railroad system.

H. A. RIDDLE, Gen'l Pass. Agent. J. F. BOYD, Supt.

WESTERN MARYLAND R. R.

connecting with P. & R. R. at Shippensburg and Getttysburg; Norfolk & Western R. R. at Hagerstown; B. & O. R. R. at Hagerstown and Cherry Run; Renn'a R. R. at Bruceville, and P. W. & B., N. C., and B. & P. Railroads at Union Station, Baltimore, Md.

Schedule in effect September 29, 1895.

BALTIMORE & CUMBERLAND VALLEY BRANCH.

Read Downward.			Stations.	Read Upward.		
P. M.	P. M.	A. M	Lve. Arr.	A. M	P. M.	P. M.
3 15	1 09	6 00	Shippensburg	8 33	1 06	8 58
3 25	1 18	6 10	Southampton	8 23	12 57	8 48
3 32	1 25	6 17	Greenvillage	8 16	12 50	8 41
3 47	1 39	6 31	Chambersburg	8 05	12 39	8 30
3 58	1 49	6 42	New Franklin	7 51	12 25	8 16
4 06	1 57	6 50	Altenwald	7 44	12 18	8 08
4 13	2 05	6 57	Five Forks	7 35	12 10	8 00
4 22	2 13	7 06	Waynesboro	7 27	12 02	7 51
4 31	2 22	7 15	Midvale	7 18	11 53	7 42
4 39	2 30	7 29	Edgemont	7 05	11 45	7 34
			Ar. Le.			
			Le. Ar.			
4 44	2 35	7 36	Edgemont	7 04	11 45	7 34
	2 53	7 50	Highfield	6 53	11 28	7 19
7 17	6 05	10 27	Baltimore	4 30	8 11	4 08
			Ar. Le.			
			Le. Ar.			
4 44	2 35	7 36	Edgemont	7 03	11 39	7 22
4 50	2 41	7 41	Smithsburg	6 57	11 33	7 16
4 52	2 44	7 43	Cavetown	6 54	11 30	7 20
4 59	2 50	7 48	Chewsville	6 49	11 25	7 15
5 15	3 05	8 02	Hagerstown	6 35	11 10	7 00
			Ar. Le.			
			Ar. Le.			P. M.
6 25			Williamsport	6 17		5 45
			Le. Ar.			
8 05		8 05	Hagerstown			6 00
8 26		8 18	Williamsport			5 38
8 37		8 27	Charlton			5 28
8 43		8 33	Clear Spring			5 22
8 57		8 45	Big Pool			5 0
9 00		8 48	Cherry Run			5 05
			Ar. Le.			
			Ar. Le		A. M	
	2 35	7 36	Edgemont		11 45	7 34
	2 53	7 50	Highfie d		11 28	7 17
	3 52	8 43	Gettysburg		10 28	6 20
	4 16	9 06	New Oxford		10 03	5 56
	4 33	9 23	Hanover		9 46	5 39
	4 45	9 38	Ar. Porters Le.		9 32	5 27
	5 27	9 38	Ar. Porters Le.		9 32	4 44
	5 33	9 44	Menges		9 26	4 38
	5 35	9 47	Spring Grove		9 24	4 36
	5 40	9 52	Nashville		9 20	4 31
	5 43	9 59	Thomasville		9 16	4 27
	5 57	10 10	Ar.W. York Le.		9 02	4 14

P. & R. R. trains leave Shippensburg at 7.0 and 12.35 a. m. and 3. 55 p. m. Arrive at 10.35 a. m., 2.25 and 5.42 p. m., daily, except Sunday.

Trains for Frederick leave Bruceville at 9.40 and 5.40 p. m. Trains for Taneytown, Littlestown, Wrightsville and Columbia leave Bruceville at 7.44 a. m. and 3.45 p. m.

Leave Rocky Ridge for Emmitsburg at 8.26 and 10.40 a. m.. and 3.31 and 6.34 p. m. Leave Emmitsburg for Rocky Ridge at 7.50 and 10.00 a. m., and 2.55 and 4.50 p. m.

B. & O. passenger trains leave Cherry Run for Cumberland and intermediate points, No. 13, daily, at 8.57 a. m. For Piedmont and intermediate, No. 17, daily, except Sunday, at 1.26 p. m., and Chicago Express, No. 7, daily, at 11.02 p. m. East bound trains arrive at Cherry Run, No. 4, at 4.04 a. m.; No. 6, at 11.01 a. m.; No. 14, at 5.01 p. m.

Passengers for Chicago Limited, No. 5, or Cincinnati Limited, No. 1, take No. 17 to Han cock and there transfer to No. 5 or No. 1.

Passengers for B. & O. Pittsburg Express. No. 9, take No. 7 to Hancock and there transfer.

All the above trains daily except Sunday.

J. M. Hood, Gen'l Manager. B.H. GRISWOLD, Gen'l Pass. Agt.

LOCAL DIRECTORY.

Officers Of Franklin County And Of Chambersburg Borough.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

JUDGE—John Stewart. Term expires 1898.

SHERIFF—Samuel G. Greenawalt. Term expires 1898.

PROTHONOTARY—Geo. A. Hornbaker. Term expires 1896.

REGISTER AND RECORDER—J. H. Ledy. Term expires 1896.

CLERK OF THE COURTS—D. L. Grove. Term expires 1896.

TREASURER—Andrew S. Stover. Term expires 1896.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY—Jere H. Light. Term expires 1898.

COMMISSIONERS—George V. Johnston, Samuel S. Reisher, E. S. Baer. Terms expire 1896.

DIRECTORS OF THE POOR—George W. Immell, term expires 1896; John G. Youst, term expires 1897; L. C. Martin, term expires 1898.

AUDITORS—T. M. Smith, Joseph A. Pfoutz, John R. Pilgrim; terms expire 1896.

JURY COMMISSIONERS—B. M. Martin, John L. Brindle; terms expire 1897.

COUNTY SURVEYOR—S. V. Wingert. Term expires 1898.

CORONER—L. F. Suesserott. Term expires 1898.

BOROUGH OFFICERS.

BURGESS—John R. Orr.

COUNCILMEN—William Stake, J. B. Hoyer, Fred B. Reed, A. H. Rice, Alson Stager, George A. Minnich, George Palmer, B. K. Hassler.

CLERK OF COUNCIL—D. B. Kirby.

TREASURER—E. J. Black.

TAX COLLECTOR—Daniel Harmony.

AUDITORS—George C. Cooke, Frank Huber.

CLAUDIUS SMITH'S BOOTS.

"No one in the Schunemunk Mountains will ever forget the story of Brainard Pierson's haunted boots," said Christy Lord of that historic part of Orange county. "The story dates back a good ways, but it's always new and fresh along the old Schunemunk.

"Brainard Pierson's boots, so the story goes, were the very boots that Claudius Smith kicked off his feet just before he was hanged at Goshen in the Revolutionary times. Claudius Smith was the bloody Tory cowboy, who, with his following of cutthroats and robbers, terrorized the Schunemunk and surrounding country for years. His mother was a pious woman, who lived near the Ramapo Pass, and when she found she couldn't turn Claudius from his evil ways, she exclaimed one day:

"'Oh, my poor son! You will die with your shoes on, like a trooper's horse.'

"After the patriots had at last captured the desperado, and he was taken to the gallows at Goshen, he kicked his boots off as the rope was placed about his neck, and exclaimed:

"'My mother said I would die like a trooper's horse, with my boots on. I will make her out a liar.'

"Those were Claudius Smith's last words. His boots, through some manner of succession, at last fell into the possession of Brainard Pierson years after the cowboy was hanged. I've often heard my father say that when folks heard that Brainard had got Claudius Smith's boots they went to him and said:

"'But of course you ain't going to wear 'em, Brainard?'

"To which Brainard replied:

"'Ain't I? Well, but I am though, most surely!'

"Then, as my father used to tell, folks said to Brainard:

"'Woe to you, Brainard Pierson, if you wear those boots! Not for all the treasure Claudius Smith buried in old Schunemunk would we wear those boots! There's blood on 'em!'

"And you must know that was saying a good deal, for Claudius Smith hid in the Schunemunk Mountains thousands upon thousands of dollars' worth of treasure which he and his gang stole from the patriots, and it's there yet. It was put away so snug that although the mountains have been dug over from top to bottom and end to end, uo one has ever been able to find that treasure. So, of course, it must be there yet. Well, when folks warned Brainard against wearing the Tory cut-throat's boots, and told him there was blood on 'em, he answered back, so my father said, that he hadn't noticed any blood on 'em.

"'And even if there is,' Brainard said, 'I'll walk it off to-morrow, for I'm going to drive some cattle down Jersey way. I couldn't get a pair o' boots like these for the price o' the best critter I've got.'

"So Brainard put on the boots and strutted around in 'em as proud as a peacock. But folks shook their heads and said:

"'Not for all that Claudius Smith hid in old Schunemunk would we wear his boots!'

"Brainard Pierson laughed, and next day started with his cattle down Jersey way, wearing the dead Tory's boots. Somewhere down near the Ramapo Pass a man coming this way met a drove of cattle. They went on by, and the man noticed that no driver was behind them. He went on. He had gone a quarter of a mile or so, when he almost stumbled over a man lying in the road. He noticed that the man had on a remarkably fine pair of boots, but he started back in terror as he saw a rattlesnake lying near his feet. Discovering that the serpent was dead, he advanced, and was horrified to see that the prostrate man's face was black and swollen, and that he was dead. It was plain that the rattlesnake had bitten the man, who had then killed the snake before he was overcome by its venom.

"The dead man was Brainard Pierson. The discoverer of the tragedy sought the nearest help, and the rattlesnake's victim was brought home to Schunemunk. The head of the snake had been crushed by a stone, and one of its fangs was gone. The snake had bitten clear through one of the boots Brainard wore, and a tiny puncture on his ankle showed where the deadly venom had entered to do its deadly work.

"'Claudius Smith's boots!' was the first exclamation that folks made when Brainard Pierson was brought home dead from a rattlesnake's bite. 'There's blood on 'em, and we told him so!'

"For a long time nothing was talked about all through the Schunemunk country but Brainard Pierson's haunted boots, and the awful fate that Brainard met with because he flew in the face of warning and wore them. Somehow or other, though, Brainard's folks didn't seem to be able to see just how it was that he wouldn't have been struck by the rattlesnake if he hadn't had Claudius Smith's boots on, and so the boots remained in the family. There was no one big enough yet in the family to wear boots, and so they were put to one side. And there they remained unused for ten years. Then the house was robbed one night. Among the property stolen were the haunted boots. There was a great time among folks when this became known. They declared that they ought to ride in all directions on fleet horses and hunt the robber down.

"'Not so much because he's a robber,' they said, 'but to keep him from wearing them haunted boots. We can jail him for being a thief. It'll be a capital punishment if we let him wear Claudius Smith's boots.'

"If they did any riding they didn't overtake the robber in time to warn him against the fatal boots. Two days after the robbery young George Pierson, Brainard's son, was hunting on Seven Spring Mountain, and, going over to one of the springs to get a drink, he found a dead man lying near it, black in the face and swollen. Near by the body lay a big bundle. The dead man had on the stolen Claudius Smith's boots! Young Pierson pulled off the boots. On the man's right ankle was a little purplish-red puncture.

"A rattlesnake has struck him, as sure as fate!' exclaimed young Pierson.

"The bundle contained the things stolen from the Pierson family. George backed them home, and brought the boots along. Then he spread the news about finding the robber on Seven Springs Mountain, dead from a rattlesnake's bite.

"'And the haunted boots?' folks asked.

"'He had 'em on,' said young George.

"'Claudius Smith might just as well be living and prowling and butchering along old Schunemunk again,' they said, 'if we're going to keep them haunted boots of his working for him!'

"But still the Pierson folks couldn't see what Claudius Smith's boots had to do with rattlesnakes biting people, and they kept the boots. No one ever knew who the dead robber was, and they buried him on the mountain.

"'Seems queer, too,' folks said, 'that if Claudius Smith is haunting the boots he'd turn 'em against a robber.'

"Several years went by again before any one else wore the haunted boots. Then a relation of the Pierson folks, who lived down in the Ringwood Valley, came visiting them. He saw the boots, and took a great fancy to 'em. He wanted to buy 'em, although he knew the fate of the only two persons who had worn 'em in years.

"'There ain't any rattlesnakes in our section,' said he. 'I'll risk the haunt.

"The Pierson folks wouldn't sell him the boots, but they made him a present of 'em. He took 'em home with him. Some folks say that he didn't tell his father-in-law the story of the boots when he made him a present of 'em after he got home, and some say he did. At any rate, the father-in-law had a good deal of property which would go to this Pierson relation's wife when her father died, and her father was in the best of health. The son-in-law made him a present of Brainard Pierson's haunted boots. The father-in-law put 'em on one day and went for a walk. Not long afterward he came staggering back home.

"He was a dead man an hour later, with a black swollen face and body. On his right ankle was the mark of a rattlesnake bite, as there had been on Brainard Pierson's and on the dead robber's. And there was not a rattlesnake in all that country! The father-in-law of the Pierson relation. was dead before the doctor could get there. The doctor was told the story of the haunted boots. Seizing the right boot, he slashed it down to the ankle with his knife. Something white fell from it to the floor. The doctor picked it up. He examined it for a moment.

"'A rattlesnake's fang,' said he 'And there's poison enough yet in its channel to kill another man!'

"It was the missing fang of the snake that had bitten Brainard Pierson. It had been pulled from its socket by the firm hold the leather of the boot had taken of it. Held fast thus, with its point on the inside, contact with it had been of sufficient force to puncture the ankles of the persons who had since worn the boot. The venom, though dry, was still potent, and its work as deadly as when it lay in its sack in the rattlesnake's jaw. That was what the doctor said.

"'S'posin' he does say so?' Schunemunk folks said. 'If Brainard Pierson hadn't worn Claudius Smith's boots the rattlesnake wouldn't left his fang in 'em, would it? So it was Brainard Pierson's haunted boots that done it, and that's all there is to it!'

"And a good many Schunemunk folks think so to this day."—N. Y. Sun.

OURSELVES AND NEIGHBORS.

HAPPENINGS IN FRANKLIN AND ADJOINING COUNTIES.

Gleaned From Our Exchanges—The News of the Cumberland Valley and Southern Pennsylvania, With a Few From Beyond Mason & Dixon's-

The snow-storm of Wednesday night of last week in Western Pennsylvania was the worst in that section for years.

It was announced that a new drydock to accommodate the largest vessels will be constructed on the Erie basin, at the lower end of Brooklyn.

Snow fell to the depth of two inches in Mississippi Thursday, and the temperature was two degrees below freezing point. Fruit and vegetables were injured.

Tramps will give Huntingdon a wide berth hereafter, unless they want to work for a living in breaking stone. The town council has passed an ordinance to that effect.

A soldiers' monument, not to exceed $7,000 in cost, will be erected at Mercer, Pa., this spring, in the park surrounding the court house. A G. A. R. committee has the matter in hand.

The first train crossed the new bridge over the Delaware river at Philadelphia Monday afternoon of last week. It carried President Roberts and many other officials of the Pennsylvania railroad.

Adjutant General Stewart, Captain George G. Boyer and Colonel Frank J. Magee, of the Soldiers' Orphan School commission, on Tuesday of last week made an inspection of the Industrial School at Scotland.

Maud Muller on a Summer's day, stuffed the manger full of hay; her hat was there, but not the rake, for that was but a poet's fake; slapping the old cow on the side, she laughed until she nearly cried; Just think, old Bossy, said the maid, I'm going to have some bloomers made.

The mayor and police force of Altoona are charged with collecting $4,389.99 from the county in costs in three years which was never turned in to the city treasury. Mayor Hoyer pronounces the story a malicious libel, and he intimates that he will bring suit to recover damages.

A facetious exchange arises to suggest that the young woman's privilege to ask a young man to marry her also extends to inviting him to have ice cream or a Hamburg steak with her. And it might have been added: There is no law against asking him also to be allowed to put on his skates.

Edith Spigelmoyer, 6 years, 9½ months old, who lives with her parents on what is known as the Carr property, along Honey creek, above Reedsville, weighs 106 pounds, is four feet, two and a quarter inches high, with a waist measurement of thirty-one and a-half inches.—Lewistown Free Press.

A Topeka, Kansas, despatch says that John P. St. John, the "apostle of Prohibition," has become a candidate for Congress in the Second Kansas District. He expects to make his campaign on the free silver and prohibition issues. He predicts that fully 100,000 of the Kansas Prohibitionists will join the Populists.

The annual report of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for 1895 has just been issued. The gross earnings aggregated the immense sum $132,720,811.16; operating expenses, $92,859,236.66, and net earnings, $39,961,525. The freight moved equaled 160,510,144 tons, and the number of passenger carried 75,-052,479.

The Pennsylvania Fish Commission announces that it is receiving applications for brook trout fry for distribution in the streams of the state. Only 1,000 fry will be allowed to an application, because the entire output will not exceed 3, 500,-000. Blank forms on an application may be had from any of the commissioners.

A woman was buried with the honors of war in Harrisburg on Wednesday of last week. The hearse containing the body of Mrs. Marion Verbeke was escorted to the tomb by Command No. 12, of the Union Veteran Legion, composed of old soldiers who had served three or more years in the army. Mrs. Verbeke had been their friend and nurse in the dark days of the war.

A neighbor discovered the body of George Breckoff suspended from a limb of a tree in a woods near Breckoff's home at Bonhamtown, New Jersey, on Tuesday. He put on a very sorrowful countenance when he went to tell the suicide's wife. But she answered, tartly: "Well, you need not bring his body in here. I won't have it near the house." The body was buried by neighbors. Breckoff had been on a spree, and a whisky bottle was found underneath his dangling limbs. His widow has three children.

A wonderful mechanical contrivance is announced from Switzerland in the shape of a watch that calls out the hours in a voice like that of a human being. This mechanical curiosity is the invention of one Casimar Livan, who based his principles upon his knowledge of the workings of the phonograph. The case, instead of containing a striking apparatus, as some of the late costly watches do, is provided with a phonograph cylinder, which is fitted with a sensative photographic plate, which has received the impression of a human voice before being inserted in the watch.

A United Press telegram from Beaver Falls, Pa., says that Elizabeth Donnelly, wife of James Donnelly, a steel worker employed at Allequipa, had been brought to the hospital there. The telegram further stated that she was insane and about to become a mother. Her husband is now confined in the Hollidaysburg jail to answer the charge of perjury, and her brother, James Farrell, is indicted for complicity in the murder of Henry Bonnecka, a crime for which Frank Wilson, alias Koons, has already been convicted. The last stroke, her husband's arrest, probably destroyed Mrs. Donnelly's reason.

Senators Sherman and Hill were the conspicuous figures in the Cuban debate in the Senate Thursday, forcibly urging the mercenary character of the pending resolutions, while Mr. Sherman upheld them with another graphic arraignment of Spain and General Weyler. Senator Hill urged that the resolutions be defeated in order that they might be amended and the mercenary features eliminated. Mr. Sherman declared that war in Cuba was flagrant and the evidences of it abundant. In the course of his speech Mr. Sherman paid a tribute to the patriotism and fidelity of President Cleveland and his readiness to uphold the country's flag. An important bill, creating an art commission of five members, was passed.

The death of Miss Florence Risley, oldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. S. D. Risley, of Media, occurred on Wednesday of last week under very distressing circumstances. A week before she was able to be about, apparently in the best of health. On Friday two weeks ago a small red spot like a pimple or boil made its appearance near the eye. It was painful, but not considered dangerous. The disease, however, spread to the optic nerve and the young woman became totally blind. From the optic nerve the deadly poison went to the base of the brain, where an abscess was formed. With the hope of saving the young woman's life an operation was performed, but it availed nothing, and Miss Risley died about noon on Wednesday as stated above.

County commissioners are getting into hot water all over the state. A Doylestown dispatch says: Judge Yerkes recently directed the jury in the case against the county commissioners to render a verdict commanding them to pay back into the county treasury the sum of $1.073 17 the amount they allowed themselves for traveling expenses during three years prior to 1894. The ex-commissioners affected are George L. Mahan, Republican, and Ezekiel A. Groom and Henry Gill, Democrats. The case will probably be appealed to the supreme court, as the compensation contended for is allowed by law. The trial has attracted attention in every county in the state. Fulton county's commissioners have also a case on hand but the prevailing opinion seems to be that there is nothing in the charges against them.

Senator Peffer says that the day of triumph for the populists will not come this year, but in 1900, four years hence, the people's party will rise up in their might and sweep the country like a whirlwind. The Adventists are quite as certain that the end of the world will come about the time that Peffer predicts victory for his party, and as between the two evils, it is possible that the destruction of the earth would be less objectionable than the control of government by such mild-eyed theorists and dreamers as constitute the majority of Mr. Peffer's party. It is very pleasant to think, if the Adventist information is really true, that the last four years in which the world will have an actual existence will not be made unendurable by a populist administration and congress. On the other hand, those who look upon the final destruction of the earth as the direct calamity that can happen to mankind would probably be resigned even to that awful event by a few years of Pefferism.—Baltimore Sun.

Cuba Hard to Conquer.

There is a story about a troop of emigrants who left their berths in the steerage and tried to encamp on deck—in consequence of a ghostly apparition, as the Captain tried to explain it, till a commission investigated the internal arrangements of the steamer.

"No need of supernatural explanations," was the prompt report of the chief commissioner; "the only wonder is that the condition of that ship did not tempt the passengers to jump overboard."

With a similar suddenness a traveller in the coast hill of Cuba would arrive at a practical explanation for the continued desertions that decimate the ranks of the Spanish troops, which their officers attribute to the magic persuasiveness of the rebel emissaries. With the possible exception of western Sumatra (where the natives of a little bushwhacker kingdom have defied their would-be conquerors for a series of centuries), no country in the world can rival Cuba in the excellence and variety of the facilities for ambuscades, and all other conditions that make a land a paradise of native insurgents and a hades of their foreign pursuers. The very coast is a smuggler's Eden. Havana and a few seaport towns between Cape de Cruz and Cape Maysi have safe harbors, with deep waters to the very wharves, but the whole southwest shore is beset with mud banks and dangerous reefs, where shipwreck can be avoided only by an intimate knowledge of the intricate and ever-shifting channels. Owing to the steep gradient of the hill slopes, nearly all the coast rivers are torrents, which, after every heavy rain, bring down the deluvium of the cultivated lands to deposit them in the form of submarine bogs, that allow the light "falucas" of the contrabands to slip across, but entangle a vessel of deeper draught almost beyond the hope of rescue if its headway cannot be checked at the first jar of the grounding keel.

Burglars that would enter a treasury vault often watch their chance from a hired room in the neighborhood of the bank building, and nature seems purposely to have accommodated West Indian filibusters with similar observatories, in the form of the numerous small islands scattered along the west coast of Cuba, which enable a hidden privateer to watch the movement of the hostile gunboats.

Yet the task of the marine coast patrols is a mere trifle compared with the problem of checking the movements of insurgent rangers in the forest labyrinth of the coast hills. Close to the shore—often within a hundred yards of the snowy shell beaches that look so tempting from the sea—begins the espinal, or thorn jungle, as the creoles call it from the predominance of spinescent plants; then follows a belt of palms and caucho trees, with a dense underbrush; and along the foot of the coast hills a strip of swamp, banked in by the inland rocks on one side and by the drift sands of the dunes on the other. At many points of the southwest coast this belt of lacustrin tanglewoods is more than ten miles broad, and as trying to pedestrians as a mangrove thicket, wherever green and practically indestructible plants sprout in a bottomless ooze, alternating with quicksand hollows. The Cuban coast swamps impede the progress of horse and foot soldiers alike, at any time of the year, but become almost impenetrable in summer, when the brooks are swollen from the heavy rains of the highlands and the lagoons can be forded only with the aid of native guides, who take care not to give foreigners the benefit of their best knowledge, though they may consent to accompany them to the causeways which intelligent pioneers might discover without assistance.

These causeways, though often overgrown with a rank tangle of swamp vegetation, can be found at intervals of ten to fifteen English miles, but the Spanish officers complain that their pursuit of fugitive rebels is almost invariably baffled by the fact that the natives know scores of intermediate crossing places, and with a start of only a few hundred yards will effect their escape in localities where their pursuers, ten minutes later have to stagger about in a network of creepers and aquatic plants, till a sudden plunge into a ten-foot lagoon admonishes their pioneers to admit the hopelessness of the enterprise.

In the terrace lands the difficulties of progress moderate for a few miles only to be soon after complicated by the danger of ambuscades. The insurgents visit the plantation of the coast plain, chiefly on marauding expeditions, but establish their headquarters higher up, in the deep, bush-shrouded ravines of the Sierras, that rise tier above tier to the summits of the Sierra Maestra, or backbone range of the island. Good roads traverse these mountains, but like the highways of the Incas, they lead the traveller close by the gates of death, and as a Spanish artillery regiment toils up the wooded slopes with its howitzers and ammunition wagons, its vanguard is suddenly greeted by a shower of rifle balls from the head of a tanglewood gully, where big ledges of rock and the barricades of fallen trees form an effectual bulwark against a counter attack.

"Forward! Push ahead all you can!" cries the commanding officer after a brief halt and a hasty survey of the situation. "Hurry up! There comes another shower! More hail and no weather shed. Carraxo! those fellows have sharpshooters and repeating rifles!"

The artillerymen close their ranks and trudge forward across corpses and scattered baggage till at a turn of the road they are confronted by a barricade of felled trees, and the alternative of facing about and galloping their horses down hill, or halting to be shot down like wolves in a trap. Their pioneers try to remove the obstruction; but find that it will be a work of hours, and report accordingly, while volley after valley rings out from the rocks above, till the council of officers order a retreat.

Besides these tanglewood gullies there are tree-shrouded ruins; and caves, often groups of limestone caverns with connecting tunnels and hidden outlets, where a hundred sharp-shooters can hold their own against an army corps.

These caves that are found along the slopes of the Sierras throughout its enormous extent of seven hundred and fifty miles, afford the native rangers a welcome retreat from the showers of the rainy season, while the lack of topographical knowledge often obliges their enemies to bivouac in the midst of the dripping forests, where in the intervals of drenching rains mosquitoes descend like a shower of hot ashes, while ants and chigoes explore the undergarments of the would be sleeper.

The consequent disorders are aggravated by the malarious effects of bad drinking water, not to mention such trifles as the circumstance that "no less than fourteen kinds of poisonous fruits and berries bear a close resemblance to edible varieties," as the author of a work on the flora of the West Indies informs us.

No troops recruited among the natives of the temperate zone can stand the hardships of a protracted campaign in a country of that sort, and the average term of endurance is about three months for the hardy Catalan highlanders and four months for the weaker but more sun-seasoned natives of southern Spain.

The Cuban creoles, on the other hand, actually enjoy their warpath outings, as their forefathers enjoyed their campaigns against the Spanish Moors and the legions of the Corsican Cæsar. They are, moreover, sustained by the sympathy of nearly all their West Indian neighbors, and will achieve their independence if one of their revolts should ever, for a few months, be aided by an uprising of the Spanish republicans.—North American Review.

The Miseries of Doing Nothing.

Idleness plays many parts. There are the constitutionally indolent—those who, like Dr. Johnson, are never physically ready to get up in the morning, but who, like him, are possessed of a conscience which compels them now and again to face the reflection of what they have, compared with what they might have, done, and to stand aghast at the comparison.

There are those whom circumstances have made idle—riches, absence of motives for exertion; ill health, real or fancied; indulgent friends, and much more often by self indulgence. That idleness is one of the seven deadly sins gives them no sort of concern; it is of the essence of their complaint to have no feeling of their own infirmity. They are asleep. They cannot tell their dreams, for they do not even know that they are dreaming.

Giving up, nerveless relaxation, has become a habit, and to them—as to the immortal Mr. Toots, though from a different motive—nothing is of any consequence. But whereas it was his own convenience, his own feelings, his own comfort that never were of consequence to the unselfish Toots, it is precisely your convenience, your feelings, your comfort, that are to the idle man of no consequence. Floating idly about on "the great Pacific ocean of indolence," he makes first one compromise, then another, with self respect, until he ends by sacrificing the esteem of his fellow men on the private altar of his own sloth. His affairs get first muddled, then embarrassed, then decaying, then desperate, and he feebly flatters himself with an idea of repose, now that all is gone.—Chambers' Journal.

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THE GROUND-HOG'S contract expired by limitation on Sunday, but in his generosity he kept up the vindication of his prophecy all day Monday, and he did it fully, energetically. It is to be hoped that he is now satisfied and that he may henceforth, in conjunction with the weather bureau at Washington give us such weather as we can bear with patience, even if it is not wholly enjoyable.

THE FIRST number of a new Pittsburg daily paper was issued on Monday evening, "The Pittsburg Daily News." It is a clean, bright sheet, Republican in politics, and does not now seem favorable to Senator Quay. It is said that the News is a venture of C. L. Magee and is to supplement the Times, Mr. Magee's morning paper, which is one of the brightest morning dailies in the Smoky City. It's political policy or position in a factional or local sense, will be better known as the paper grows older. As a newspaper, it starts off well—crisp, bright and full of such matter as the busy reader enjoys. There is no question as to there being room for such a paper in the rock-ribbed Republican city of Pittsburg.

ST. PATRICK AND CLEVELAND.

The newest Pittsburg paper, the evening Daily News, in its opening issue on Monday, remarks somewhat facetiously: "It may be remarked, in view of the fact that tomorrow will be St. Patrick's Day, that President Cleveland was born between St. Patrick's midnight and the morn of the 18th of March, 1837. The old song has it: "Twixt midnight and morn 'twas St. Patrick was born; and with all their cross questions, sure no one could know if the child was too fast or the clock was too slow." Now, how was it in the President's case?"

A SPEECH TO BE COMMENDED.

Hardly anybody will disagree with Senator Lodge's speech in the senate on Monday, in which he favored such change of the immigration laws as will keep out illiterate and ignorant immigrants, Our country is big and its resources practically inexhaustible, but it is not wise nor fair to assume to be the poorhouse and the kintergarden for other nations. In making this statement we do not forget the patriotic people from other lands who helped us gain our freedom in the Revolution, nor the heroes who as soon as they landed in Castle Garden or our other ports in 1861 to 1865, took the oath of allegiance and had the blue put on them. We will never forget Lafayette, Baron DeKalb or Kosciusko, nor the humblest German or Irishman, who came to us when we needed fighting men during the rebellion. But it is time to stop the influx of those who come to us only for the pecuniary gain they may make by their coming and have no sympathy with our institutions nor regard for our laws, and to whom liberty means unabridged license.

Senator Lodge's speech is right and it is timely.

Scorching Senator Quay.

As evidence that C. L. Magee of the Pittsburg Times and Senator Quay have not beaten their swords into plow-shares nor their spears into pruning hooks, the following from the Times of Wednesday, under the head of "Unfit for the Presidency," will give Mr. Magee's opinion of Quay, in the light of the alleged bargain between him and Senator Flinn as to the government of the city of Pittsburg:

"The sworn testimony of Senator Flinn and Director J. O. Brown before the Councilmanic committee yesterday throws additional light upon the controversy between the former gentlemen and Senator Quay. It makes it more than ever evident that Senator Flinn went to Washington at the request of Senator Quay, and that the latter was the author and inspirer of the proposed agreement. The position which he had placed himself in by endeavoring to make such an agreement seems to have suddenly dawned upon the consciousness of Senator Quay at, it must be confessed, a rather late hour, as evidenced by his sorrowful acknowledgment in Philadelphia that 'All this is very disagreeable. I would not have gone thus far, but my son Dick and Walter Lyon were very zealous in the matter. There is nothing to add or detract. But as I am a candidate for President of the United States these local disputes are not becoming.'

"What a pitiful confession to be made by a man who says he is an aspirant for the highest office in the gift of the people of this great nation, and what an exhibit the whole transaction, taking even his own version, is of the fact that he is utterly unworthy of the place which Abraham Lincoln honored."

CUBA.

As was believed by many that there would be, there has been quite a backdown by congress on the Cuban question. The fiery resolutions are held over and it is doubtful whether there will ever be an attempt to pass or adopt them. The momentary heroism of the Senate seems to have spent itself, and now the grave and dignified gentlemen of the upper house of congress evidently wish they hadn't had such a spell of fiery youthfulness. They are evidently not like the Scottish lord of whom Scott wrote in Marmion: "Old age ne'er cools the Douglass blood." They seem to have cooled off effectually.

The Ticket Will Suit Quay.

Last Week's Republican convention and the announcement of the new members of the county committee, indicated rather clearly what the county committee would do when it met on Tuesday, as to the selection of the chairman for the coming year. The REVIEW feels some gratification over the fact that its predictions were varified. And the result of the action of the convention and of that of the county committee showed that the Republicans of the county felt that they were not called upon to seek advice from Senator Quay as to who should be candidates for the legislature or why we should consult Senator Quay as to the kind of legislation that is needed for the county. It turns out beyond question that the junior senator did not care a pea or a picayune who should be nominated, and it is also generally believed that there was no authority for saying that he favored certain candidates as against others. Nobody believes that Senator Quay heaved even a very light sigh when he heard who were nominated in Franklin county, unless it was a sigh of relief because he would no longer be annoyed or pestered by candidates who wanted his favor and influence.

It is probable that Quay, as well as some other people, is glad the convention is over.

AS TO THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

Owing to the fact that the Republicans cannot have all the county offices, no matter how large the Republican majority may be, a number of Democrats are spoken of in connection with the offices of auditor and commissioner. We have only one announcement from a candidate for the latter office, and that is Col. Peter Heefner, of Chambersburg. We learn, however, of a number of others that are spoken of: M. W. Kissecker, of Greencastle, Jos. A. Pfoutz, of Guilford, Charles Lecron, J. F. Zullinger and Jacob J. Miller, of Waynesboro and Washington, Jacob R. Small and W. H. Boggs, of Green and Capt. L. H. Henkell, of Montgomery. If we did hear of others we have forgotten their names, but it is probable there will be others.

As to candidates for county auditor none have been mentioned in our hearing thus far, though there will doubtless be a number of them.

Chairman Reisher has not yet indicated as to when he will call the county committee together to fix the time for the county convention. A number of Democrats have expressed the opinion that the convention should not be held later than June. The preliminary campaign would then be out of the way and the nominated candidates could have a breathing spell before the campaign preceding the election would open.

After the Presidency.

The canvass among the Republican candidates for the presidency has begun to grow warm, even before the temperate showers of April have reached us. As is natural the western part of Pennsylvania seems strong for McKinley. Senator Quay's name is not mentioned in that section with any possible hope of his securing the nomination. The State of Ohio is so close to Pittsburg and the western borders of Pennsylvania, that it would be a sign of weakness were McKinley not to receive the support of that section. However, it has not been learned that Senator Quay has been making any efforts in that section for the nomination, but if he should choose to do so, there might be a marked depreciation in McKinley stock. It hardly seems reasonable, nor do we believe it probable that McKinley will receive the nomination, though, not being a prophet, we make no predictions as to who will be the lucky target for the Republican convention lightining.

"There are others" who do not by any means desire McKinley's nomination, and, indeed, it looks now as though he has the field against him, and this is not at all favorable to his nomination. Most of folks believe from the manner in which he presides over the lower house of congress that Reed has begun his haymaking and is already in a position to dictate who the candidate shall be if he does not want or cannot secure the nomination himself.

Miss Allie Douglass, of Akron, Iowa, was asaulted by an unknown tramp on Monday. She was waylaid while going on horseback to give music lessons in the country. She was held prisoner all day and repeatedly assaulted. She was then bound to her horse and released. The horse came back to Akron dragging the unconscious girl, as she had fallen off.

A WRECK NEAR HARRISBURG.

Two Men Killed—Live Stock Badly Mengled.

A dispatch from Harrisburg, dated Tuesday afternoon, gives the following account of the sad affair: Fast Line east on the Pennsylvania railroad, which leaves this city at 3:45 o'clock, ran into a stock train near Steelton, this morning, and caused a serious wreck. Two men were killed and a dozen were injured. The dead are Samuel Welsh, engineer, and Lee Strouse, fireman, both of Philadelphia. They were in charge of the locomotive of the passenger train. The engineer was terribly scalded about the head, face and body and died at the City Hospital at 9 o'clock. The fireman was crushed to death under the engine.

Several of the passengers were but slightly injured and proceeded on their way, after having their wounds dressed. The injured passengers at the hospital are: Milborne Fielding, aged 30, 105 Race street, Philadelphia, electrician, abrasion of the right knee; Peter Donelson, Whitmore, McKean county, returning to Sweden, a laborer, mild contusion of the body; Harry Henson, East One hundred and fourteenth street, New York, on his way from Pittsburg, incised wound over the left eye and punctured wound of left knee; John Van Heest, Eighth and Vine streets, Philadelphia, punctured wound of the right leg and abrasion over the right ear; W. R. Gracey, 310 North Eleventh street, Philadelphia, abrasion of nose; James Costello, McDonald's Station, contusions and other injuries; H. Krause, Akron, Ohio, internal injuries. Van Heest and Gracey are puglists.

A hundred sheep were killed. The cars caught fire, and the uninjured passengers got to work with snow and prevented it spreading. The cars were broken to splinters, and the track was blocked for several hours. Several of those in the hospital resumed their journey this afternoon.

The wreck was caused by a misplaced switch, the stock train pulling out on the passenger track and being struck sidewise by the Fast Line, which was composed of two day coaches, a Pullman sleeper and express car. The sleeping car was not much damaged.

The names of those who were slightly injured and who proceeded on their journey were: J. H. Daily, Pittsburg, cut on the wrist; Mrs. George Adams, Altoona, slightly scratched; J. R. McMillen, Newark, N. J., postal clerk, leg and hand bruised; E. S. Moncklin, Philadelphia, bruises about head and neck; Wm. Manhimer, Philadelphia, sprained back; Barney Wall and his son, John, aged 14, West Chester, bruises and abrasions on forehead; A. G. Parkhurst, Altoona, bruises; John Holroyd, Mineral Point, Ohio; John W. Pyle, Wilmington, Delaware; J. N. Aitken, baggage master, Philadelphia; L. Goldstein, Brownsville, Fayette county, Pa.

The Harrisburg call gives the following account of some of the scenes of horror:

The cries from the injured were most pitiful. Engineer Welsh cried for help, but nothing could be done for him. His condition was a horrible sight to witness. He was not released until nearly an hour after the accident occurred. He was removed to the Pullman sleeper and brought to the City Hospital. Everything possible was done to save his life, but the brave engineer died about eight o'clock. His family and father were sent for, but arrived several hours after he had died. The man was conscious to the last and asked for a Methodist minister, but there were none in the city and before another minister could be summoned, Mr. Welsh died.

The other unfortunates were treated at the City Hospital by Dr. James, and Dr. Kunkle, Resident Physician Snyder and a corps of city doctors. Many were only cut by flying glass or slightly bruised, and these received treatment without going to the hospital.

Trainmaster W. Brooke Moore, of this city, with the physicians, went to the scene of the accident in a special train.

The bereaved family and father of Engineer Welsh arrived in this city on mail shortly before noon. The mother and five children were almost grief stricken. Mrs. Welsh is a daughter of the late Attorney C. M. Schell, of this city. The eldest of the children is a son, Emmett, 18 years of age. The other children are Lottie, aged 15; Fannie, 13; Annie, 10; Vivian, 2.

David F. Welsh, father of the dead man, is an engineer at Columbia, Pa., and was telegraphed for by request of his son.

The body of the dead engineer was taken to Philadelphia on Day Express yesterday afternoon.

The father and father-in-law of the dead fireman arrived in Steelton in the afternoon and later in the day Undertaker Wilt shipped the remains to Philadelphia.

Happily Married.

Miss Nettie Hawbecker, daughter of S. Z. Hawbecker and postmistress at Williamson, and H. C. Croft were married on Thursday evening at the residence of C. E. Keiffer, brother-in-law of the bride, near Williamson. Rev. H. N. Bassler, the bride's pastor, performed the ceremony. A number of friends were present to witness the ceremony and enjoy the delicious supper which was served afterward. The groom is the son of David Croft and is one of the sterling young men of the county. The bride has many friends who know her as an estimable young lady, handsome in appearance and winning in manners. The young couple start on life's journey with the prospect of much happiness and usefulness before them. May their bright ideals of happiness be realized.

Republican Convention in Fulton.

Fulton county Republicans held their convention in McConnellsburg on Tuesday. Dr. W. L. McKibben received the endorsement of the convention for congress, with power to select his own conferees. Hon. D. H. Patterson was nominated for the legislature for a second term. Prothonotary, Register, Recorder and Clerk of the Court, L. H. Wible; County Commissioners, L. W. Cunningham and Isaiah Lehman; Auditors, Ira Zimmerman and John S. Harris. C. M. Dixon was elected delegate to the state convention. Hon. S. L. Buckley was named as the choice of the county for delegate to the National Republican convention. J. Z. Over, lately editor of the Fulton Republican, was made chairman of the county committee. Last week's Republican indicated through its correspondence that the late chairman of the county committee gave too short a notice for calling the convention together and this was done, too, so we hear, without calling a meeting of the county committee to have the views of the members as to when the convention should meet.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

Those Who Have Passed to the Great Beyond—The Death Record In Franklin County and Elsewhere.

Mrs. Mary E. Metz died at the home of E. V. Linthurst, Chambersburg, Tuesday, March 17, 1896, in the 86th year of her age.

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Hannah, wife of John H. Tarner, died at her home in Lehmaster on Thursday after a week's illness, in the 25th year of her age. Besides her husband, she left a baby daughter eight days old. The funeral took place on Saturday, burial in the U. B. graveyard at Sharpe's school house near Scotland. She died in the triumph of the christian's faith. There is much sympathy with the bereft husband.

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Miss Harriet Loutenslager died at the home of her father, Captain J. P. Loutenslager, East German street, on Monday night, aged about 20 years. Her death was caused by consumption. She was a member of the First Lutheran church and an active worker in the Sunday school, being a member of the choir and a sweet singer.

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James Hay, one of the most estimable citizens of the county, died at his home in Hamilton township, near Webster school house, Wednesday, March 18, of pulmonary trouble. He had recently had a number of hemorrhages which greatly weakened him, and hastened his death. His age was about 80 years. Mr. Hay was a consistent member of the Lutheran church in St. Thomas. He leaves a widow and two daughters—Emma at home and Mrs. George Arris in Chambersburg. His funeral will take place tomorrow, interment in Coble's graveyard.

Tickets For Sousa and Special Trains.

Sousa and his great band will give a concert in Rosedale opera house, Chambersburg, Tuesday evening next, March 24. General admission 50 cents; reserved seat tickets 50 and 75 cents, and $1.00 according to location will be on sale as follows: Mercersburg, by R. B. Ritchey; McConnellsburg, by J. K. Johnston; Greencastle, by Pitt F. Carl; Waynesboro, by W. J. C. Jacobs, and Shippensburg, by Dr. S. S. Wolfe, Saturday, March 21st, or earlier. Alternate rows of seats will be reserved for out of town patrons and tickets for these seats placed in the hands of the above agents. Send in your orders to the agents early. The general chart will be found at Miller's pharmacy, Chambersburg, where the reserved seat sale will be conducted.

Excursion tickets will be sold from all points on the C. V. R. R. and branches Special trains on the South. Penn. and Mont Alto roads will be run as follows Leave Richmond 6:20 p. m., Loudon 6.30, Mercersburg 6:50, Lehmasters 7:00, Williamson 7:10, Marion 7:25, arrive at Chambersburg 7:45 p. m. Leave Waynesboro 7:00, Quincy 7:07, Kneppers 7:11, Altodale 7:13, East Fayetteville 7:24, West Fayetteville 7:29, arrive Chambersburg 7:45.

Special trains will leave Chambersburg immediately after the close of the performance for all the above points. Tickets on South. Penn. road good for two days.

More Heirs Are Found.

The heirs to the estate of Jacques Royer, who, it has been stated, are entitled to millions, are still turning up. Among these whose claims are believed to be well founded, are the surviving children of Jacob Kegerreis, late of Fannettsburg, dec'd. Mrs. Kegerreis, maiden name was Royer; she was born and raised in Greensburg, Pa., and was of French descent. The following are her surviving children: M. R. Kegerreis, postmaster at Fannettsburg; J. D. Kegerreis, Willow Hill; W. B. Kegerreis, Fort Scott, Kansas. There is also Mrs. J. P. Kegerreis, Washington, D. C., the widow of James K. P. Kegerreis, and Mrs. Sadie Holliday, wife of James W. Holliday of Waynesboro, who is a granddaughter.

The claim of the late Mrs. Sallie Kegerreis to relationship with the Royers referred to appears to be well established. It remains now to be learned whether there is any estate to be divided as has been reported, or whether the whole thing is a fake gotten up by some lawyers in the hope of making some money dishonestly, as has been done many a time before now. We hope for the sake of the Kegerreis brothers and other members of the family, that the story may be true and that each of them may receive a good pull.

Lafayette College Glee and Banjo Clubs.

The Lafayette College Glee and Banjo Clubs, which appear here in Rosedale Opera House on the twentieth, have earned a wide reputation for the excellency of their concerts. Their program is made up of popular and standard music. They furnish college songs, stirring marches, vocal and instrumental solos, plantation melodies, comic songs and choruses, quartette selections and rollicking medleys and glees. The patronesses are, Mrs. John Stewart, Mrs. T. M. Nelson, Mrs. A. Nevin Pomeroy, Mrs. Tench McDowell, Mrs. Johnson McLanahan, Mrs. Frederick Watts, Mrs. Alcesta Gilmore, Mrs. John R. Orr, Mrs. Mary H. Pomeroy, Mrs. W. H. Eyster, Mrs. Wm. L. Heyser, Mrs. Wm. Alexander, Mrs. W. R. Alexander, Mrs. T. B. Kennedy, Mrs. J. F. Boyd, Mrs. Samuel Martin, Mrs. John Edgar, Mrs. M. C. Kennedy, Mrs. Chauncey Ives, Mrs. Benjamin Bowman, Mrs. D. O. Gehr, Mrs. T. B. Kennedy, Jr., Mrs. John L. Reside, Mrs. T. J. Sherrard, Mrs. W. Rush Gillan. Tickets were placed on sale on Saturday, March 14, at Miller's Pharmacy.

Items From Letterkenny.

The supervisors of Letterkenny township, met Saturday, March 14, with the following clerks, B. B. Besore, D. M. Oyer and J. F. Reifsnider, and laid 3½ mills instead of 4 mills tax.

The roads are very badly drifted in our vicinity; some places they are as bad as last winter.

The schools of our township are all closed for the term.

Quite a lively debate took place at Fairmount school house Friday evening, March 13. After the debate Howard Forbes of Chambersburg, gave a short entertainment consisting of tricks, etc.

It Might Be Too Quick.

Bishop Hurst who presided over the late annual M. E. conference in Philadelphia, is quoted as saying in a public address before the conference: "If I had the power, I would make Cuba free in five minutes." This and other sentiments of a similar character were warmly applauded. That would be very quick work, especially for a man who bears upon him the dignity of one of the highest officials in one of the great protestant denominations in the world.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES

Clipped and Condensed From Our Exchanges.

The joint societies of the Dickinson School of law have arranged for a course of lectures to be delivered one a week by leading members of the Carlisle bar.

John Denning a special customs officer of Port Huron, Michigan, shot and killed himself Tuesday while his wife was pleading with him, her arms around his neck, to give her the revolver. He had been in ill health.

Frederick Seisferlein was seriously, and his wife probably fatally, shot by Emil Defrau, at Leesville, a suburb of Detroit, Tuesday. Defrau was a deputy constable, and when he tried to make a levy on some of Seisferlein's effects Mrs. Seisferlein attacked him with an iron bar. The shooting followed.

Bishop William B. Campbell, of the African Evangelist Mission church, was arrested in Cleveland, Ohio, Monday, on the charge of embezzling $500 from the funds for a proposed manual training school. The Bishop was still in jail Monday night, not having secured bail. The arrest grows out of a church quarrel.

William Miller, aged 28 years, and Charles Tinker, aged 35 years, of Lancaster, Pennsylvania, were arrested Monday, charged with complicity in the burning of the plant of the Champion Blower and Forge company, on the evening of January 28. Miller's father, who was night watchman, perished in the flames, and the additional charge of murder has been preferred against the son.

Louis Rosenberger, convicted at Kittanning, Armstrong county, of larceny, assault and battery and breaking jail, was taken to the Riverside penitentiary, Allegheny, to serve a nine year and six months sentence. He makes the sixth member of the family occupying cells in the penitentiary. Rosenberger was accompanied by Frank Neale, who will serve ten years and six months for arson, and Chambers Rummel, who will stay two years and six months for a felony.

Saturday afternoon the remains of William R. Fisher and wife, together with the remains of their daughters, Nellie and Ida, and a niece, Nellie Dart, were exhumed at the old Kenny street cemetery, Bradford, Pa., and taken to Oak Hill, where they were again consigned to earth. When each body was examined, it was found to have turned to a stone-like substance. The body of Miss Dart, which was buried in 1861, resembled a statue of marble. At the time of Miss Dart's death she weighed 200 pounds, but when the body was exhumed it was twice that weight.

An unknown man was found frozen to death Friday morning along the public road near Raver's Gap in what is known as Jack's Corner, Bedford county, some six miles from Saxton. Deceased was first discovered by John Hines, who lives near the point where he was found, and his body was taken to Saxton, for identification. Deceased was of a dark complexion, aged about 45 years, some 5 feet 8 inches in height and about 165 pounds weight. He was well and cleanly dressed, had some money on his person, but no letters or other marks of identification.—Huntingdon News.

Charles Sprout who is only 15 years of age, escaped from the Carlisle jail some time Thursday night. He unscrewed the hinges of a window and this left an aperture 6x18 inches through which he got out of his cell. Once outside he crawled to the top of the jail wall by the aid of the spouting, and dropped to the ground by the aid of a slender tree or sapling. The news of his escape being spread abroad, officers went in search of him and he was retaken Friday forenoon by Constable Miller of Newville. In dropping from the jail wall he sprained his ankle and made his way for some distance when he crawled into a barn and remained till daylight. He was in jail for stealing a turkey.

Many Flag Raisings.

From what we can read from our exchanges there have never been so many flag raisings over public school buildings as during the school terms which are now closing. It will be well if these shall teach illustrated lessons of patriotism to the pupils who attend these schools. We are not threatened now with any danger such as slavery proved to be, and yet, there seems to be not the regard that there should be for the dignity and permanency of our institutions. If flag raisings shall teach these lessons it will be well to have a flag floating over every school house in the land.

National Bank Notes All Right.

One of our brightest exchanges of Republican faith thus shows its liking for National banks and their notes: There are at the present time 3,706 National banks in the country. Under the present national banking law every note issued by these banks, running in amount to hundreds of millions of dollars in the aggregate, is as current in the remotest corner of the country as in any other, and even though the banks themselves should fail, would be redeemed at par by the Government. Never was a better paper money system devised among men.

A Gifted Child.

On Saturday evening there was a large audience in Rosedale Opera House to hear the talented young elocutionist, Mary Kolbe, aged nine years. The entertainment was given in behalf of Trinity Lutheran church, and was far beyond the expectations of any who had not heard the wonderfully gifted child. She recited a dozen selections, humorous and dramatic, in a way that delighted her audience, and evinced an intelligence far beyond the age of nine years in most children. Her renditions were interspersed with vocal and instrumental selections that were also quite pleasing. Her mother was formerly Miss Sarah Rippey of Shippensburg.

Carlisle Asks For the Next National Guards Eucampment.

It looks as though the coming of the next G. A. R. Encampment to Chambersburg has awakened a desire in the other towns of the Cumberland Valley to have military encampments within their limits. The Carlisle Volunteer asks that the next Division encampment of the Guards be held at that place; it makes a strong plea and shows good reason why the encampment should be held there.

The concluding paragraph of the Volunteer's article says: "With the advantages we offer we are certainly entitled to a show. Adjutant General Thomas J. Stewart has with the exception of Gov. Hastings who is an ex-officio member of the board—more to do with the selection of the site than any other man. Men prominent in the State Militia and capitalists have already, and are now working for Carlisle. Adjutant General Stewart is satisfied with the selection of Carlisle, in fact he has said he would be pleased to see it come here."

The Pure White Snow.

The late snow that blockaded the roads in the country and the sidewalks in town, that loaded the roofs to breaking and gave two days' good sleighing to those who enjoy that style of travel, was a surprise to many. It hindered some from going to church who really wanted to go and gave others excuse to stay at home who didn't want to go. It would have been more seasonable at Christmas and less so on the fourth of July. It interfered with the sowing of cabbage seed on St. Patrick's Day, but it hasn't cut off the hope of good gardens. Other snows have come later and been deeper, so there is no occasion for surprise because this one has dropped down so silently and to such a depth upon us. It has not impeded travel by rail in this section; it has filled our streams, moistened our fields, arrayed the country in white, and who shall say it has not been a blessing wherever it has fallen. Well may it suggest the words of the song which was sung in our public schools more than twenty years ago.

"How spotless it is and how pure,
I would that my spirit were so,
Then, long as the soul shall endure,
More brightly I'd shine than the snow."

About the Court House.

Since March the 11th, letters have been granted on the following estates:

Letters testamentary on the estate of Catharine A. Vance, late of Peters township, to John W. Vance.

Letters of administration on the estate of Julia A. Jacques, late of Smithburg, Md., to Mary E. Haines.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mary Myers, late of Antrim township, to John Myers.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Benjamin F. Barr, late of Antrim township, to Abbie Barr.

Letters of administration on the estate of Elizabeth Bowders, late of Antrim township, to John C. Bowders.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Solomon Sentman, late of Lurgan township, to Mary Jane Sentman and Daniel Lawrence Sentman.

Subpœna in divorce a vinculo matrimonii post subpœna No. 176 of December Term, 1895, was issued in the case of Della Smith, by her next friend, David J. Simmers vs. Chas. H. Smith.

Our Coldest Weather.

Thursday night of last week was the coldest of the season. The thermometer registering from two to eight degrees below zero. For the first time during the winter some of the hydrants were frozen. Saturday morning was also quite cold, but not so cold as Friday morning. Thursday and Friday and even on Saturday, sleigh bells jingled merrily on the streets for the first time during the winter. But some of the folks who came in Saturday noon in sleighs had a rather rough time getting home late in the afternoon.

Telephone Connection With the Almshouse.

The matter of having telephone connection with the almshouse is again being agitated. It is argued with good reason that there is as much need for this connection with the county home as with the jail or the commissioners' office. It is necessary to secure the conveyance of persons from town to the home, and, as the "Repository" said in Monday evening's issue, it is badly needed in case of fire. It would be a great convenience and a saving of money to the county.

A "Town Meeting."

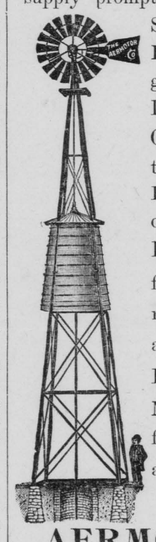
The Board of Trade at its meeting on Tuesday evening last, after a long and interesting discussion of matters pertaining to the interests of the town and also of several propositions they have received from parties looking for locations for manufacturing establishments, decided to call a "Town Meeting" in the court house on Wednesday evening, March 25, at 8 o'clock, to see what interest our citizens have in the future prosperity of our town. A packed audience should be present.

Lytle To Be Speaker.

It is said in political circles that Representative P. M. Lytle of Huntingdon has been agreed upon by Senator Quay and his friends as speaker of the next House at Harrisburg. Mr. Lytle has not yet been elected, of course, but there is little doubt that he will be, and there is not a doubt that he will make a competent and able presiding officer.

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"	"	"	"	-	-	"	1.50	" 2.00
Youth's	"	"	"	-	-	"	1.00	" 1.25

Women's	Kangaroo Calf Polish	-	now	$1.25	were $1.50
"	" " Button	-	"	1.25	" 1.50
"	Oil Grain Button (best quality)		"	1.25	" 1.50
"	" " Polish	"	"	1.25	" 1.50
"	A-Calf	"	- - "	.85	" 1.00

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THURSDAY MARCH 19, 1896.

A WORD IN PASSING.

Town and County Briefs With a Bit of Comment—Happenings of the Week and a Forecast of Coming Events.

Wednesday's sun dissolved much of the snow and sent it flowing into the streams.

Our people were reminded that Tuesday was St. Patrick's Day, by seeing a few persons "wearing of the green."

At a public sale in Hampden township, Cumberland county, some days ago, five horses sold for $40. Cheaper than beef, veal or pork.

Hon. J. Burns White, of Stevens Post G. A. R. Fayetteville, has been appointed a member of the reception committee at the June encampment.

Ex-U. S. Senator William A. Wallace, of Clearfield, was reported critically ill Monday. He is in New York city where he has spent the last few years. His relatives were called to his bedside.

We see it stated that Dr. Bernhardt of Dublin Mills, Fulton county, has engaged sixteen box stalls at the "Dell Delight" track, Holidaysburg, where he will have his stable of fast horses trained. The doctor loves a speedy horse.

The railroad shops at Altoona have been placed on a working basis of nine hours for five days a week, and eight hours for Saturday. The reduction in the time is rendered necessary by lack of orders usually felt at this time in the year.

Lieutenant Harry Gillespie, who is employed by the C. V. R. R. Co., had his hand badly lacerated by a circular saw in the C. V. carpenter shop on Friday. It was feared that it would be necessary to amputate two fingers but this will not be necessary.

Mr. Wilt, a foreman of a section gang on the Cumberland Valley railroad, residing at Newville, sustained a severe stroke of paralysis on Saturday night. The lower portion of his body is completely paralyzed and he will be laid up for some time.

The work of the committee whose duty it is to prepare for the G. A. R. encampment in June next, goes steadily forward. There is scarcely a doubt that this occasion will bring more welcome visitors to Chambersburg than have ever been here before.

In pamphlet laws of 1895, page 271, it can be seen that all persons who participate in calithumpian band serenades may be arrested and punished by fine or imprisonment. It would be well for some young people to know that there is such a law in existence.

The Funk tavern, the oldest house in Bedford, will soon be torn down to make room for a brick residence. The house was built in 1759. James Frazier, the purchaser of the property, is the grandson of William Frazier, the first white child born in Bedford county.

A number of parties of young people have taken advantage of the recent good sleighing, and a number of sledding parties enjoyed jolly rides to the surrounding towns and villages where they had supper and a good time generally. One party went to St. Thomas, one to Upper Strasburg and two to Fayetteville.

The rain and general sloppiness of the weather to-day have made the streets quieter than they have been for many months, except on Sundays. The attendance at the schools is much cut down and nobody is out except those who must be. It looks as though the waters will be raised very considerably.

The name of Samuel Monath of the third ward, Chambersburg, is mentioned in connection with the Democratic nomination for county treasurer. We have not the authority, however, to say that Mr. Monath will be a candidate. He is an estimable gentleman but has not much to do with politics.

Henry Scott of Ft. Loudon started to Chambersburg in a sleigh, Tuesday. When near the Charley Gillan place, the road being drifted, his sleigh struck a rock and broke both runners, but he pulled through and came to town all right, transacted his business and returned home the same evening.

The concert in Rosedale on Friday evening by the musical faculty of Wilson College was a rare musical treat, and fully demonstrated the marked talent of this portion of Wilson's faculty. The concert was under the direction of Prof. J. Emory Shaw who has scarcely if ever had a peer in his profession in our town or county.

Many improvements are being made in the National Hotel by Mr. Zullinger, the proprietor. A new tile floor is being laid in the barroom. The walls of this room and the offices are being handsomely papered. There will be artistic painting done besides many other tasteful improvements that will add to the internal appearance of the hotel.

The heavy snow fall interfered very seriously with the attendance at the schools in the rural districts this week. Those teachers were fortunate in their percentages and averages that closed last week. Among these were Mrs. Hashinger at Richmond and W. G. Irvin at Fairview in Metal. They are among the successful teachers of the county.

The annual statement of the borough of Shippensburg shows that in the borough department the expenditures were $4,568,31, in the water department $6,098.81, in the bond department there is a balance of $1,449.66. The borough indebtedness is $37,500 and the assets $33,525.35. The borough property is valued at $69,550, which seem a very low valuation for so busy a town.

Prof. Dennison Wheelock, the well-known Indian school bandmaster, has published a piano selection entitled "The Carlisle Indian School March." He has dedicated it to Capt. Pratt, staff and pupils of the school. It is a very meritorious production and will prove quite a favorite to pianists. It should not be forgotten that this band is to help furnish the music for the G. A. R. encampment here in June next.

W. F. Eirley of Hagerstown, has a copper medal about a quarter inch thick and larger than a silver dollar which he picked up on the Antietam battlefield. It contains a medallion of King George III with his name and title on one side. On the other side are the figure of Neptune, the word Britannia and the figures 1797. It is said to be one of seven medals given to British officers in the Revolution for bravery. The name "Curtis" is cut with a die on one side. It is presumed this is the name of the officer to whom the medal was given. It is not known how the medal came to be on the battlefield.

There were three fires near Lewistown last week. Thomas Brannon's kitchen was damaged by a coal oil stove taking fire. A. L. McKinley's store room at Burnham caught fire from an oil barrel, and the main part of the building burned. A car shed at the Junction was burned, and one freight car destroyed and one damaged.

The large two-storied frame hall of the Jr. O. U. A. Mechanics, at Highfield, burned down yesterday morning. In the first floor was Thad Washler's general store. All was burned. The loss exceeds $2,500 with an insurance of $1,600. The house of Samuel Rootz near by was also burned down and Charles Keefer's partially burned. The origin is not known.

In Decatur, Michigan, the population of which is 1,500, the president of the council is a woman, and all of the town offices, except that of dog-catcher, are filled by women. Nearly all trades and professions and other occupations are represented by women, and the women control saloons, allowing the sale of nothing but soda and pop.

The contest in the Kentucky legislature has ended with the adjournment of both houses without electing a senator. There having been no election Senator Blackburn will probably retain his seat in the upper house. The contest grew extremely exciting at times and it was thought blood would be shed, but this has happily been averted. Never before in the history of the state has the legislature been unable to elect a senator and so far as any one can remember he has been a Democrat, since the days of Henry Clay.

There has been a split in the Salvation Army, and Ballington Booth has established a new organization which he calls "God's American Volunteers." This will also be a military organization like the original Salvation army. Those in authority will have military titles as our army officers have. The branches will be called Posts. Booth and his wife will join in the chief authority over the organization.

T. B. Woods' Sons have sent to Chief Engineer J. H. Dechert a check for $60 to be divided among the fire companies of Chambersburg, as an evidence of their appreciation of the prompt work of the firemen in subduing the fire in their offices, which was told of in the REVIEW two weeks ago. Such recognition of prompt and faithful work is encouraging to our firemen than whom there are none more prompt and efficient in the Cumberland Valley.

There is now no doubt of the success of the national encampment of the Grand Army in St. Paul the first week of September, from the standpoint of attendance. The railroads which run into the Twin Cities have surrendered on the question of a return limit of thirty days on the tickets, which was the only bone of contention between the railroads, the citizens' committee of St. Paul and the Grand Army executive council. The fare will be a cent a mile.

On Saturday Sheriff Greenawalt had business near Waynesboro. He went to that town on the train, then hired a team to take him to the place where he wanted to go. The horse was not one of the kind the sheriff is used to driving and failed to keep the track as a good roadster should. The rather rapid ride terminated suddenly with a buggy upset and somewhat broken, and the sheriff sitting in an uncomfortable position at the roadside. Happily he was unhurt, and the horse only slightly injured. The buggy, however, had to go in for repairs.

At the meeting of the State Medical Society in May last Dr J. C. Stever of Three Springs, Huntingdon county, had on exhibition samples of the Hygeia mineral waters of that place. Since then the doctor has been receiving some very nice orders for the water and some strong testimonials as to its curative properties. An order has recently been received from Detroit, Michigan. Many use it as hot as it can be taken, upon rising in the morning, on an empty stomach. Samples of the water and a pamphlet on hydrotheraphy will be sent to any address on application.

To show that Fulton county has bright and busy students in the C. V. State Normal school at Shippensburg, the Fulton Democrat says: "Of the class officers of '96, the Shippensburg Normal, Fulton county captured the presidency and secretaryship—Mr. Ernest Gress filling the former, and Miss May Sheets, the latter. We understand that S. W. Kirk is president of his class at Carlisle. It is true that Fulton county raises prime buckwheat, and the toughest kind of hoop poles; that she has no railroads, and but one telephone office in the county; and it is equally true that she has among her sons and daughters, graduates representing many of the leading insttiutions of learning in this country, and yet there has never been a single failure when it came to final examination." No students from Fulton county have ever failed in their examinations and, so far as we can learn none have ever failed in the callings they chose after leaving the school.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Items of Interest About You and Our Friends and Those Whom We All Know.

W. C. McNulty, whose illness has been noted is gradually recovering his strength, though he is not yet well by any means.

Miss Leila Witherow and Miss Mintie Jones, of near Metal, are visiting the family of Ex-Sheriff Jones and other friends in Chambersburg.

Rev. B. H. Mosser, pastor of the M. E. church, left on Monday for the annual meeting of the Central Penna. conference which organized at Williamsport Wednesday.

Dr. W. H. Boggs last week moved from Fannettsburg to Huntingdon where he will be hereafter located. The REVIEW will keep him acquainted with Franklin county news.

Dr. J. F. Barton, vice principal of the C. V. State Normal school was a pleasant visitor to the REVIEW office Saturday. He says the school is prospering and there are 120 members in the senior or graduating class.

Geo. W. Geyer of Stenger, accompanied by his daughter, was in town Wednesday on business. He found the top of the Strasburg mountain badly drifted as were portions of the road between Strasburg and Chambersburg. But being one of those who are not easily daunted or discouraged, he made his way to town and felt sure he could get home again. He expects to peel a lot of bark this spring from his vast timber tracts, and will continue to get out switch ties as he has been doing for years past. There are a number of men dependent upon Mr. Geyer for labor and he proposes to keep them employed and pay them all the wages which their work will realize for him.

HYPNOTIZED OR BEWITCHED.

Distressing Mental Trouble of a Good Woman.

Miss Emma Fortna who lives with her three sisters on Philadelphia avenue, has been in a most distressing mental condition for some weeks past. She first became hysterical and afterward gave other evidences of insanity. She could not sleep and in a short time became violent toward her sisters and even toward her pastor, Rev. J. B. Shontz. Her hallucinations were of a most pitiable character. She imagined that her soul was lost and she became embittered toward her church, her sisters and all former friends.

The matter was reported to Judge Stewart, who appointed a commission to make inquiry as to her mental condition. The gentlemen appointed are: Dr. J. S. Kennedy, Horace Bender, Esq., and William Stake, who after hearing testimony, found her to be insane. Upon the report of the committee the court ordered her to be taken to the Insane Hospital at Harrisburg. The order was made on Friday, but she was so much exhausted physically that her physician thought she was not fit to be moved. She has since then grown weaker and at last accounts it was feared that she could only live a short time.

In the testimony before the commission it was stated that Miss Fortna was under hypnotic influence exercised by a neighboring woman, one of those who cure certain ills by words, incantations or pow-wow motions, that she was entirely obedient to the wishes or commands of this woman, was very intimate with her and spent much time with her. Miss Fortna's sisters, Clara, Leah and Tillie, for whom she kept house, are very much attached to their sister, and, of course, much troubled because of her affliction.

The case is as singular as it is distressing and calls to the minds of the older people the stories of witchcraft and demoniac influence to which some of our older readers listened in childhood while shivers ran up and down their backs and their hair stood on end.

It is to be hoped that the malevolent influence may be dispelled and that the lady may recover the use of her faculties.

Central Penna. M. E. Conference.

The Central Pennsylvania M. E. conference was formally opened by Bishop John H. Vincent, D. D., LL. D., of Topeka, Kan., in Mulberry street church, Williamsport, Pa., Wednesday morning, but previous to the opening, beginning at 8:30, the bishop conducted a devotional service, which was enjoyed by the assembled ministers and laymen. It was 9:40 o'clock when the conference formally opened for business and Bishop Vincent asked Secretary Wilcox to call the roll of members. The secretary proceeded and nearly every member answered to his name. Rev. T. S. Wilcox was re-elected secretary by acclamation and given the privilege of naming his own assistants. He named the following which were elected: Recording, W. A. Carver; assistants, J. F. Anderson, A. L. Miller; statistical secretary, J. E. Weeks; assistants, J. H. Mogart, E. H. Wallace, N. E. C. Clever, E. M. Aller; treasurer, M. P. Crosthwaite; assistants, John Horning, M. C. Piper, Owen Hicks, E. W. Wanner, William Brill, G. W. Faus.

The committees were appointed, among them being one on the Philadelphia M. E. hospital. The committee was named as follows: W. R. Whitney, W. V. Ganoe, John Z. Lloyd, J Wood and Samuel Creighton. A committee on memorials to the general conference was named as follows: M. L. Ganoe, J. B. Mann, E. J. Gray, B. C. Conner and M. L. Smyser. Resolutions commendatory of Bishop Vincent were passed and responded to by the bishop. The committee on resolutions was instructed to take care of the Armenian matter, a resolution having been previously made to appoint a special committee on this subject. The presiding elders all made very encouraging reports, and after the transaction of some minor business, the conference at high noon adjourned until Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

Don't Believe the News Too Readily.

The Lancaster New Era gives its readers the following advice which will hold good anywhere: The reader who desires to know what is really going on in Cuba will do well not to read a single line concerning the struggle there till at least six months after the reported events are supposed to have occurred Even more determined than their efforts to thrash each other are the efforts of both sides to out lie each other. It is a mistake to believe what either party says. It seems to be a case of Ananias on one side and Sapphira on the other, with the honors about evenly divided between. A year or so from now we may reasonably expect to learn the truth.

To Close the Post Office on Sunday.

The following resolutions which we heartily commend were unanimously adopted by the Ministers' Union of Chambersburg at a meeting held for the purpose on Monday morning:

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the notice of the Ministers' Union of the town of Chambersburg that the P. O. Department at Washington has ordered the P. O. to be opened during a part of the 1st day of the week, commonly called the Lord's day; and

WHEREAS, This order was issued on a petition secretly circulated and signed by certain citizens of Chambersburg, without giving any opportunity to others to protest, therefore

Resolved, That we, as a union do unanimously protest against this action by the representatives of the government, and do hereby earnestly petition the P. O. department to rescind the above mentioned order at the earliest possible day.

Alex. Stewart Chairman.

The Republican county committee met in the grand jury room Tuesday and organized for the year. Notwithstanding the deep snow there were about thirty members present. Chairman Seiders called the meeting to order. Samuel Kuhn of Antrim, presided at the meeting and W. E. Foltz, Chambersburg, acted as secretary.

The election of officers being in order, H. B. Garlinger, Mercersburg, moved that Alex. Stewart of Scotland, be elected chairman by acclamation. The motion carried unanimously. Van. T. Graham, St. Thomas; W. E. Foltz, Chambersburg; D. C. Shank, Washington; J. A. Snively, Antrim; D. F. Haulman, Peters, were chosen secretaries. C. A. Raff was re-elected treasurer.

Addresses were made before the committee by Senator Brewer, James W. Carson, candidate for the legislature District Attorney Light, T. S. Nevin and Hon. M. A. Foltz. The meeting was brief and harmonious as there were no contests and but a small amount of business.

FRIENDS WHO CALLED

Or Paid Their Respects Through Others, Within the Last Week.

Among the business visitors to Chambersburg and to the REVIEW office last week was Daniel E. Fore, Esq., of Fulton county, who evidenced his approval of the new paper by advancing his subscription. The 'Squire says he likes the paper and if he didn't he would say so very promptly for he is that kind of a man.

John W. Nusbaum of Upper Strasburg, has gone out of the hotel business, but he wants the REVIEW in his family, so his subscription is paid up to April, 1897. Mr. Nusbaum will for the present reside in Strasburg.

Mrs. Thomas Gracy of Gracy, Fulton county, forwarded her subscription by her son, Mr. S. C. Gracy, who is a successful travelling salesman.

Dr. T. D. White of Upper Strasburg, who as a republican was elected school director in Letterkenny a month ago in face of a large adverse majority, manifested his appreciation of our efforts in the newspaper way by handing over his subscription and cash for job work.

D. C. Hammond, one of Path Valley's most energetic people, didn't forget us while in town last week. Besides a receipt he has our thanks for cash on subscription to the REVIEW which he considers a good family paper.

Henry P. Null of Tomstown, couldn't spare the time to get to town last week, but sent his dollar along with his neighbor, Mr. Pentz, who paid us a friendly call.

While a delegate to the convention last week, Dr. E. G Jones of Dry Run, took time to call and we are ahead a dollar on account of his subscription to the REVIEW. The Doctor has been quite busy professionally and quite successful.

J. F. Zullinger, one of Waynesboro's retired business men, has been reading the REVIEW and will continue do so, as his subscription is advanced for a number of months to come.

A. K. McCurdy of Willow Hill, had an extra bright new dollar with him while in town last week. Knowing the usual impecuniosity of the newspaper man, he dropped the legal tender in such a way as to get a receipt for subscription to the REVIEW till next hickorynut time.

M. K. Christ of Hamilton, didn't find anybody in the office Saturday evening, but he saw the editor elsewhere, and his subscription is fixed away in advance.

Skinner Rosenberry of Stenger, and Enoch Ritter of Upper Strasburg, paid us a visit on Saturday. Their call had something of profit in it for the office. It is needless to say that such visitors are welcome. Mr. Rosenberry having a large lot of timber of all kinds growing on his land, is ready to furnish locust posts of all sizes, in all quantities, to all who may be in reach of him.

In remitting a year's subscription, Hon. D. H. Patterson of Webster Mills, Fulton county, present member of the legislature, says of the REVIEW: "It is a most excellent family paper and I am glad that there seems to be a place in Franklin county for such a paper." Such kind words from sincere friends add to the joys that come with the life of a newspaper publisher.

Among the friends of the REVIEW who are not afraid of blizzards is James H. Knepper of Mont Alto, who called on Monday, accompanied by Emory Small, a very pleasant young gentleman. Mr. Knepper left in the office a sufficient amount of cash to settle his subscription for a year, as an evidence that he likes to read the new paper.

Many other friends called during the week and gave substantial evidence of their good wishes by leaving orders for job work while others contracted for advertising space, for all of which we are grateful. Because of these substantial evidences of friendliness our subscription list grows larger every week and our advertising and job work patronage are increasing steadily.

He Ended His Life.

Henry Hoffman, an inmate of the almshouse, cut his throat on Thursday with suicidal intent. He lived until Saturday evening when he died from the self-inflicted injuries. He was aged about 65 years. He had been traveling about this section of the country for a dozen years and was no stranger at the county home. He was of German birth and so far as known, had no relatives near here.

Dramatic Entertainment.

The young people of Dry Run will have a dramatic entertainment in the town hall at that place on Saturday evening, March 28. The title of the drama is "Louva the Pauper." Judging from the names of the persons who have been assigned parts in the play, the entertainment will be first-class in every particular.

Sale Register.

March 30, large sale by Mrs. Rena Wagner, 2 miles southeast of Orrstownw, near Fair field school house. Wm. Bender, auct.
March 30, large sale at the late residence of David Hicks, dec'd., in Huntingdon county, near Burnt Cabins. S. J. Hafer, auct.

Chambersburg Markets.

CHAMBERSBURG, Thursday, March 19, 1896.

No. 1. Longberry	.71	Butter	14
No. 1. Foltz	.71	Eggs	10
No. 2. of any kind	.70	Lard	05
Oats	.20	Tallow	—
Rye, new	.40	Bacon-hams	09
Corn	.30	Bacon-shoulder	06
Timothy	1.20	Bacon-sides	05
Clover seed	3.50	Peaches-pared	10
Timothy hay	11.00	Peaches-unpared	05
Onions	.35	Cherries-pitted	07
Potatoes	.25	Dried Apples	02
Vinegar	.10	Beans	$1.25

Philadelphia Markets.

Wednesday, March 18, 1896.

WHEAT.—No. 2 Penna. red, 79.
CORN.—No. 2 yellow, 36½; No. 2 mixed, 34¾
Steamer, 33¾.
OATS.—No. 2 white, 26¾; No. 3 white, 24¾.
FEED.—Bran, $1.50@$14.00 per ton.
HAY AND STRAW.—Timothy, choice, $16.50@17.00. No. 1 mixed clover, 12.50@$13; Rye straw $10.50.
TALLOW.—Prime country, in bbls., 3¾.
FLOUR.—Pennsylvania roller, clear $3.40@3.55; straight, $3.55@3.70 per bbl. Buckwheat flour, $1.15@$1.25 per 100 pounds; rye flour, $2.60 per barrel.
BUTTER.—Prints, fancy, 23c.; prime, 17@20.
EGGS.—Pennsylvania, fresh, 11½@12c.
POULTRY.—Live fowls, hens, 10½@11c; dressed 10@13c.; dressed turkeys 14@16.
POTATOES.—Prime, 20 to 28c. per bushel.

LIVE STOCK.

BEEF CATTLE.—Extra, — —; Good, 4¾@4¾; Medium, 4¾@4¾; Common, 3¾@4.
SHEEP.—Extra, 4@4¼; Good, 3¾@3¾; Medium, 3@3¾; Common 2¾@2¾; Lambs, 3½@5¼.
HOGS.—Good Western, 6¼@6½; other grades, 6@6¼.
FAT COWS.—2¾@3¾.
MILCH COWS.—$20@$40.
THIN COWS.—$8@$15.
VEAL CALVES.—4@7.
DRESSED BEEVES.—5¾@7¼.

Baltimore Markets.

Wednesday, March 18, 1896.

WHEAT.—No. 2 red, 73; No. 2 steamer red, 70.
CORN.—Southern white 35; do. yellow 35½.
OATS.—No. 2 white, 26½@26¾; No. 3 white, 25@25; ungraded, 25@25.
RYE.—No. 2 nearby, 43@46.
FEED.—Bran, $12@14; middlings, $12@13.00.
BUTTER.—Fancy creamery, 22@23c.; Penna prints, 18@14; ladle-packed, 15@16.
EGGS.—Fresh, 11@11½c.
POULTRY.—Live fowls, young chickens, 11@12; hens, 8½@9; ducks, 13@14; turkeys, 15@16; Dressed fowls, chickens, 9@12; ducks, 14@15; turkeys, 16@17.
HAY.—Timothy, $15.50@16; clover, $10@12, mixed, $12@14; Rye straw, $13@14.50.

CATTLE MARKET.

BEEF CATTLE.—Extra, $4.50@4.60; good, $4@4.25; medium, $3@3.25; thin cattle $2@2.25.
HOGS.—Nearby, $4.40@4.60; roughs, $3@3.75.
SHEEP.—Sheep, 2@3¾; lambs, 3½@4¾.
MILCH COWS.—Prices ranged from $20@40.

LEGAL NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration on the estate of Fred. I. Dimler, late of Chambersburg, dec'd., have been granted to Mary Dimler of the same place. All persons therefore indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands will present them without delay.

MARY DIMLER,
mar.5-6t. Administratrix.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Anna Maria Campbell, late of the township of St. Thomas, deceased.

Letters testamentary upon the above-named estate having been granted to the undersigned all persons having claims against the same will present them for payment, duly authenticated; and those indebted thereto will please make immediate payment to

WILLIAM ALEXANDER, Executor,
Chambersburg, Pa.

EXECUTORS' SALE OF REAL ESTATE—By direction of the will of Susan Patterson, dec'd, we will sell at public sale, on Saturday, March 21, 1896, at 1 o'clock p. m., at the late residence of the said Susan Patterson, one mile south of Fannettsburg, Pa., the following described property, to wit:—A lot of ground with a 1½ story log weatherbourded house and small back building, containing 4 rooms in good repair, with some fruit on the lot. This is a nice little home for a small family, is on the public road 1 mile south of Fannettsburg in a convenient and pleasant neighborhood. Terms made known on day of sale.



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C. P. Miller & Co.,	Stoves, &c.,
Bowers & Co.,	Grocers,
Jno. Elder,	Grocer,
A. J. Stepler,	"
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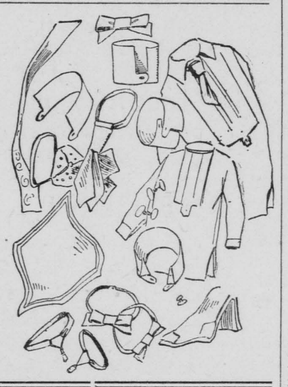
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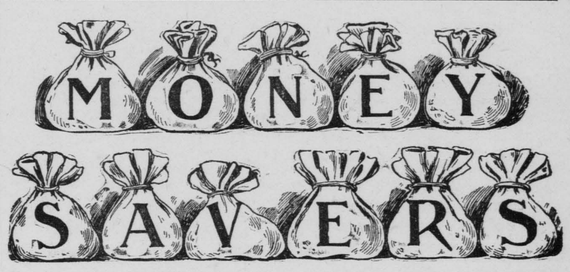
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THURSDAY MARCH 19, 1896.

CHURCH AND SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The Lesson For Sunday, March 22.

International Bible studies for Sunday, March 22, 1896, from Luke 12: 37-48. Title: Faithful and Unfaithful Servants. Golden text: "Be not drunk with wine wherein is excess, but be filled with the Spirit." The time of this lesson is supposed to be soon after that of last Sunday, and the place is nearly the same, being in Perea, east of the Jordan while Christ was on his last journey to Jerusalem. The occasion of the deliverence of the words of the lesson is said to have been after a dinner given by a pharisee. The words of Jesus are regarded as constituting, if we may allow the expression, one of the greatest "after dinner" discourses ever delivered, and from the opening as it appears in the lesson, it was altogether different from the speeches delivered on similar occasions among the fashionable people of our day, where there is often excess of eating and drinking. It is thought that a discourse was expected from Jesus, and consequently a great many persons were present to hear Him. Among these were many Pharisees and other unbelieving Jews who came to hear for the purpose of ridicule or condemnation. The address, which is thought by some to have been delivered to the disciples in the hearing of the multitude of unbelievers was a strong arraignment of the hypocrisy of the Pharisees, and full of denunciation of their unbelief and wickedness.

The discourse is considered one of the three most important told of by the evangelists as having been spoken by our Lord.

It is easy to catch the keynote of the lesson; it is in the word "Watch." Blessed are those who shall be found ready, watching when the Lord shall come, as He will come unannounced and without warning in a day and an hour "when ye think not." Watching does not imply merely idle waiting, but being busy with the duties of every day, faithfully discharging them while looking for the coming of the kingdom. The watchers are to gird themselves as soldiers on the watch for the enemy. If thus found blessed are those watchers. Many survivors of the late war remember yet quite distinctly of the night attacks upon the picket lines or the fortifications when the guards were weary and sleepy with long watching. These attacks were usually made in the morning just before day began to break when the men—the watchers—were most exhausted for want of sleep. Good soldiers were they who were wide awake then, and alert to repel any attack of the enemy, and would not be taken by surprise—"caught napping." It would be a small matter if the watchers knew just when the enemy was coming, to be ready for him. But it is certain that the Son of Man will come, and no one knows at what hour, but it will be at an hour "when ye think not." Blessed is the man or woman who is found always in the way of duty—in whose life there are no lapses, no times of wandering or yielding to temptation. These are "faithful and wise stewards." If it is asked who is equal unto this manner of life? The answer comes, "My grace is sufficient for thee." This grace will keep him in every occasion, and besides this, he will be made "ruler over all that he hath." What consolation, what sense of rest and security there is in this assurance. The watcher will not only be kept but he will be trusted.

But if the servant be careless and lack in obedience, be dissipated, carnal, worldly, he will be taken by surprise; his sin will find him out and he will be set apart with the unbelievers. He shall haye no part with those who are denominated, "Blessed," and he will be consumed by a remorse that will be as bitter as it will be unavailing.

This suffering or punishment will be self-inflicted and it will be severe according to the knowledge or understanding of him who failed to "Watch." Those who know will be beaten with many stripes, and those who know not shall be beaten with few stripes. Then comes in the lesson of the talents. Unto whom much is given of him shall much be requiaed; and in these days of Bibles and religious teaching the application or lesson of this requirement is very wide, and many will be held to account under it.

The incentives to faithfulness in this lesson are very great. Who will heed them?

Brosius's Story of Stevens.

"A great many stories have been told about my distinguished predecessor, Thaddeus Stevens, whose district I have the honor to represent," said Mr. Brosius of Pennsylvania, yesterday, "but here is one that is new to me."

"Stevens was championing some bill in Congress which aroused the opposition of the combined southern members. He made a brilliant speech in favor of it and equally brilliant speeches were made on the other side, and the upshot of it was that Stevens was outvoted after a very bitter and passionate partisan debate.

"Stevens was still boiling with disappointment and bitterness when Toombs of Georgia, in a taunting way, asked him:

"Well, how do feel over your defeat?"

"Feel?" snapped back Stevens, 'feel? I feel like the poor man at the rich man's gate, who was licked by the dogs.—Washington Post.

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The following lines were suggested to a member of the 158th Penna. Regiment by the names of some of its officers and other members. The verses were written and printed while the regiment was in North Carolina in 1863. A copy has been preserved by one of the members and handed to us for publication. The original printing was done on a very cheap grade of writing paper. The names will be familiar to many readers of the REVIEW. The writer is unknown. [ED.]

We have a chief to guide us, our brave Colonel Mac,
Who can lead us on to victory with courage, skill and tact;
With a Major by his side, a soldier ever Hale,
Whose sword when unsheathed, will make the Rebels quail;
With a Wagonseller as Surgeon, and a Leet to give us pills,
Assisted by a Nebinger to cure our many ills.

Our Chaplain has a Heart-man, as true as ever beat
To the flag of our Union, the Nation's anchor sheet,
While Quartermaster Longsdorf with his famous iron-clads,
With Miller and an Orris, two useful comely lads.
Though our drums are on a Bender, yet, still are ever steady
To beat the calls for duty, when the Colonel says "Ready."

There's company F, you know, has a Deal at their head,
With a Ritchey and McCoy who are next to take the lead.
And Longsdorf of A, has his Noggle clean and nice,
With a Crout, and a Cling, to Deal out the Rice,
With his Bear and a Bobb, to stand by Ahoy
Assisted by Mundorf, a brave-hearted boy.

While there is Captain Lehman with his Piper and a West,
With a Miller and a Franklin, who always do their best.
And a Wynekoop Nigh unto them now resting on a Reed,
A Robinson and Shearer to help in time of need.
There is C, has a Mohler with the jolly Captain Linn,
To stand by our banner and victory to win—
Not Weary with the Donor of a Hood and their Geese,
With a Wolf in their ranks they seldom fail to please.

We have many valiant officers who are ready for the fray,
Among them is a Snively, a Hassler, and a Rhea
With his Plum, and a Weaver, his Piper, and a Lane,
O'Brien, Cells, and Riddle, with a Poper and a Stain.
Company E has a Barnitz with a brave body-guard,
Surrounded by a Maxwell, a Heofligh, and a Bard.

There's H, has a Sipes with his ever waving sword,
While Connelly and Fisher are waiting for the word,
With their Winks, number six, now ready for a Trott,
And Dishongs, number five, lead on by Corporal Ott.
Captain Wheeler has a Cooper, a Baker, Peck, and Hawk,
A Ray to light his pathway a Tuckey, Guise, and Snoke.

But McDowell with Deunger has a Caudle to his hilt,
With his Glass there is danger that his Green Glenns may Wilt.
Captain Treher has a Rock, who is firm in his might
To govern the King and Heist the Helm aright,
With a Gouger and a Bear, a Paut, a Rook,
And their eyes full of Moats, 'tis a wonder they can look.

We have sergeants good and true men, whose names are very queer,
Such as Sibbit, Wise and Stratiff, with a Grayson and a Speer.
You must go to company D, if you wish to take a walk
With Clingen, Black and Lenherr, and have a quiet talk,
We've McCurdy and a Bushey to keep us in Goodheart,
And Stover, Shank and Martin from which we will not part,
With a host of noble men, such as Funk and Goodyear,
McLure, Wilds and Fulton, whose hearts are free from fear.

Our corporals are many, among them is a Cole,
With Barly, King and Bishop, a Jackson, and a Fohl,
While lively Corporal Woollard is in league with a Deal,
With Buck, ball and powder to make the Rebels feel.
There's Dr. Sharp and Neely, and Waggoner you know,
While Dyarman with his Pioneers will make the wagon go,
With Gaston, Frey and Clash, together with Manear,
Along with Horst and Lackens, will bring up the rear.
So you see we are ready if the Rebels play their game.
To prove, beyond a doubt, there is something in a name.

Company G's Infant Recruit.

There was a very little fellow in Company G, a farmer boy. He was not quite 16 and small of his age—a baby-faced chap. No one took deeper interest in the drill. He missed no duty, even sought extra duty that he might show that he was fit for a soldier and be the more certain that he would be accepted.

"What are you going to do with that round-faced baby?" asked a six-foot pinery man.

"Watch and see for yourself," said a G man.

"Do you think they will take me, Captain?" asked the boy the morning the mustering officer arrived. "I hope so, Henry." "Thank you, Captain." What distress there was on the little one's face when the mustering officer said: "Step this way, young gentleman," as Henry passed for examination.

"Are you old enough for a soldier?" "Yes, sir." "Are you 18?" "I will be 18 on my birthday, sir." "Does your Captain want you in the company?" "Ask him, please." "There is not a man in the company whom I think will make a better soldier. It will pleasely me greatly to have you muster him in," said Capt. Northup, when called. "We will take him," said McIntyre. And the round-faced boy of Company G was a baby in fact—cried like one—but he cried for joy. He seemed only too glad to have a chance to be shot at.

Little as he was no man in his company had a larger knapsack; he never fell out on a march, no matter how long or how hot the day, never missed a battle. "Captain, there is good material in Henry for a non-commissioned office," said the sergeant. "Rather too young, isn't he?" "He is old enough to be as good a soldier as there is in the regiment."

The next evening, when the regiment was on dress parade, the Adjutant read off the promotion of Private Henry C. Matraw to be a corporal. What a hero he was at Gettysburg, in the Wilderness, and at Spotsylvania. He had grown some, but was still a mere boy. In August, 1864, the Captain commanding the regiment—the field officers were dead or prisoners—said: Sergeant Major, I will dictate a letter to the Governor asking for the commissioning of several officers to fill vacancies." He said among other things: "The First and Second Lieutenants of Company G have been killed in battle. I respectfully request that First Sergeant Henry C Matraw be commissioned First Lieutenant of said company." In the same letter several Lieutenants were recommended for Captains, and the Sergeant Major was named for Adjutant. The commissions came in due time. That evening five of the young fellows went to the tent of one of their number and celebrated—celebrated all night. It was at a time when the surgeons counselled against drinking much water, and when it was easy to fill canteens at the commissary's. The next day they went to the corps headquarters, found the mustering official, were sworn into the service as officers, put on shoulder straps, and took their new stations. What a proud day it was for the youngsters; what a handsome officer Company G's boy soldier made! Ah, me, that was long, long ago.

A few months later Company G and Company D were consolidated. In the next battle the Captain was killed; Matraw succeeded him. He was the youngest and smallest Captain the regiment ever had; it had none braver.

I was reminded of this story of a real hero upon meeting Captain Matraw a few days ago. He lives away out in Nebraska; is a railroad man at Norfolk. He saw in the Times-Herald that one of his old brigade commanders was to visit the State from which he enlisted, called the family together, and said: "Children, your mother and father are going to be absent for a week." Then he took the train and rode 700 or 800 miles to meet that old commander and other men with whom he had served his country when the country needed him.

"Glorious little Matraw!—Chicago Times-Herald.

Sale Register.

March 20, sale by J. A. Guyer 3 miles north of Upper Strasburg. S. J. Hafer, auct.
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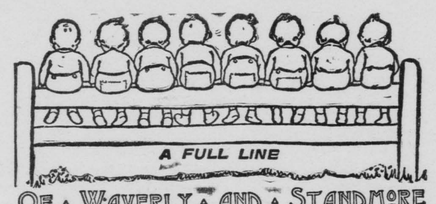
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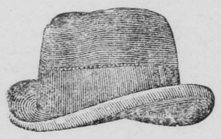
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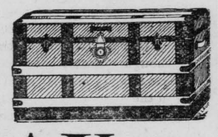
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